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Town of Raymond New Hampshire

1985 ANNUAL REPORT



Raymond Volunteer Fire Department
1894 - 1985
Ninety-One Years of Dedicated Service

DEDICATED TO THE RAYMOND FIRE DEPARTMENT

In recognition of nearly one hundred years of public service rendered by members of the Raymond Fire Department, this 1985 Annual Report is hereby dedicated.

This spirit of public service had its beginning when eighteen Raymond men came together on January 4, 1894 to form the town's first fire company as the result of a disastrous fire that destroyed the entire center of town. The Torrent Hose Company, as it was called, with funds from its own members built the original station in 1905 near the site it occupies today. Over the years, many pieces of fire equipment have been acquired through the initiative and hard work of its members.

From a roster of eighteen men in 1894 to its present strength of forty-five, this volunteer unit has held a distinguished record of service to the community and ranks among the best in the State. Professional in their approach and well versed in fire fighting and rescue techniques, these men stand ready at all hours of the day and night to protect the property and lives of every citizen.

As it was in 1894, the spirit of volunteerism in the department is very much alive and continues to play a vital role in the well-being of our community.

To each and every member of the department a grateful community extends its sincere gratitude and heartfelt appreciation.

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TOWN OFFICERS

Sally L. Paradis
Harold R. Wood, Jr.

Ronald P. Simone

Administrative Assistant

Dana R. Kingston

Welfare Administrator

Dana R. Kingston

Tax Collector/Town Clerk

Gloria E. Carney

Sandra J. Bilodeau, Deputy

Town Treasurer

Phyllis A. Gove

Highway Agent

Kevin W. Hammond

Chief of Police

Richard E. Dolan

Chief of Fire

Gordon E. Gould

Civil Defense

Richard A. Davis, Director

Burgess A. Robinson, Deputy

Building Inspector/Health Officer

Richard J. Mailhot

Animal Control Officer

Ronda L. Bilodeau

Water Commissioners

Stephen A. Lovejoy, III

Micol P. Greenwood

Recreation Commission

Frederick S. Welch

Sally L. Paradis

Sandra L. Ellis

Chris A. Mataragas

Francesca E. Morrissey

Recreation Director

Richard C. Bates

Budget Committee

Michael E. Quintal, Chairman	Caroline M. Severance
John A. Ornell	Richard A. Moales
William R. Harland	Maurice E. Demeritt, Jr.
Harold R. Wood, Jr., Selectman	Matthew Case

Conservation Commission

Franklin C. Bishop, Chairman	V. Raoul Rioux
Deborah H. Browne	

Planning Board

James L. Demeritt, Chairman	Stephen E. Sloan
Ann T. Pearson	Bruce E. Newell, Alternate
Jeffrey A. Immonen	Raymond P. Torri
Ronald P. Simone, Selectman	Jeffrey A. Smith

Board of Adjustment

Russell E. Ege, Chairman	Robert A. Carlberg
V. Raoul Rioux	Nathan W. Pearce
Robert E. Lamarre	

Trustee of the Trust Funds

Anne M. Edwards	Carolyn F. Cottrell
Iber H. Gove	

Supervisors of the Check List

Cynthia P. Ross	Lorraine C. Reed
Shirley H. Dodge	

Library Trustees

Barbara H. Beardsley	Margaret A. Case
Iber H. Gove	

Moderator

Frank G. Case

Cemetery Trustees

Richard C. Smith	Russell E. Ege
Alice B. Wall	

Representatives to the General Court

Stephen E. Sloan	Margaret A. Case
Nathaniel C. Warburton	John Hoar

OFFICIAL TOWN ELECTION

March 12, 1985

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Moderator Frank Case. Calvin Warburton then offered a prayer and the Salute to the flag of the United States of America. The Moderator announced the ballot clerks as follows: Marion Lovejoy, Elizabeth Robinson, Joan King, Delmar Anderson, Sandra Ellis, Margaret Case, Pauline Gordon and Assunta Ege. All ballot boxes had been inspected, locked and sealed before the opening of the polls. The Moderator declared the polls open at 10:04 a.m.

The Moderator declared the polls closed at 7:00 p.m.

The results of voting are as follows:

Total regular vote for Town Election	507
Total absentee vote for Town Election	11
Total votes for Town Election	518

Total regular vote for Zoning	507
Total absentee vote for Zoning	11
Total vote for Zoning	518

ARTICLE #1 - TOWN OFFICERS

SELECTMAN for Three Years

Ronald Simone	354
Sandra Ellis	28
Lyman Hammond, Jr.	17
Edward Fahey	10
James Turner	10
Judd Reed	5
Nelson Sherman	2
Helen Cammett	2

SUPERVISOR OF THE CHECKLIST

for Six Years

Lorraine Reed	469
Linda Hoelzel	1

WATER COMMISSIONER

for Three Years

Micol Greenwood	30
Richard Audette	14
Burgess Robinson	13
Chuck Bianca	7
Richard Loiselle	3
Nelson Sherman	3
Art Rollins	2

TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUNDS

for Three Years

Iber Gove	468
Delmar Anderson	1

LIBRARY TRUSTEE for Three Years

Iber Gove	466
Denise Dinnocenzo	1

BUDGET COMMITTEE for Three Years

Matthew Case	61
Richard Moales	54
William Harland	36
Jeff Smith	5
Donna Margaritis	4
Reginald Maisey	2
Hughin Holt	2
Ronald Simone	2
John Ornell	2

CEMETERY TRUSTEE for One Year

Russell Ege	36
Harry Richard	12
Joe Cowan	4
Sandra Mulholland	2
Wilfred Greenwood	2
Paul Edwards	2
C. K. Curtis	2
Iber Gove	2
Joe Bouchard	2

CEMETERY TRUSTEE for Two Years

Alice Wall	425
Richard Smith	2

CEMETERY TRUSTEE for Three Years

Richard Smith	28
(Douglas-Alan) Lovely	8
Joe Bouchard	2
C. K. Curtis	2

ARTICLE #2

Are you in favor of increasing the Board of Selectmen to five (5) members? (Inserted on petition of 2% or more of the registered voters).

YES: 265 NO: 222

ZONING AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS:

AMENDMENT #1:	YES: 313	NO: 122
AMENDMENT #2:	YES: 258	NO: 146
AMENDMENT #3:	YES: 331	NO: 128
AMENDMENT #4:	YES: 307	NO: 142
AMENDMENT #5:	YES: 283	NO: 176

Moderator Frank Case announced the results and declared each person with a majority vote duly elected.

A motion was made by James Turner to adjourn the meeting and duly seconded by Sally Paradis. Meeting adjourned at 9:05 p.m.

A true record - Attest:

Gloria E. Carney
Town Clerk/Tax Collector

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING March 16, 1985

The Annual Town Meeting of Raymond, NH was called to order at 10:01 a.m. by Moderator Frank Case. Reverend Harold Arends offered prayer and the Flag of the United States was saluted.

The Moderator announced the ballot clerks for the meeting as follows: Pauline Gordon, Assunta Ege, Marion Lovejoy, Frances O'Brien, Delmar Anderson, Sandra Ellis, Joan King and Margaret Case. Announcement was made that the Simplified Rules of Order would be used for the meeting. The Blue voting card "L" was used.

ARTICLE #1

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Twenty-eight Thousand Dollars (\$428,000) for the construction of an alternative water supply in order to provide a safe, adequate and dependable supply of potable water for the residents of the Raymond Landfill Site. The project will consist of the extension of the public water distribution system to the affected area, and such other related facilities as may be necessary. Such sum to be raised by the issuance of Serial bonds or notes in an amount not to exceed \$428,000, and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (Chapter 33 of the N.H. Revised Statutes Annotated and any amendments thereto). And further, to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other action as may be necessary to effect the issuance, negotiation, and delivery of such bonds or notes as shall be in the best interest of the Town of Raymond, and to pass any vote relating thereto. The sum to be raised by the issuance of Serial Bonds or notes in an amount not to exceed \$428,000, may be reduced by the amount of funds from grants-in-aid or other funds as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from Federal, State, local or private agencies, that would benefit the town. **RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.**

A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Sally Paradis to accept Article #1 as printed.

A motion was made by Stephen Keith to amend article one to state that only residents with wells that have been determined by the State of N.H. to be unsuitable for drinking be

allowed to be connected to the water main extension, as proposed in Article #1. Seconded by Mr. William Harland.

A motion was made by Nelson Sherman and seconded by James Demeritt to move the question.

VOTE ON THE AMENDMENT WAS IN THE NEGATIVE. THE AMENDMENT FAILED.

The blue yes or no ballot was used to vote on Article #1. Voting began at 11:10 a.m. Voting ended at 12:40 p.m. Results are as follows:

NUMBER OF VOTES CAST: 228

YES VOTES:	162
NO VOTES:	63
BLANKS:	3

VOTE ON ARTICLE #1 IN AFFIRMATIVE

Moderator Frank Case then read the results of Tuesday, March 12th's election. A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Dick Wood to move to Article #8 and Article #24. Motion carried.

Lyman Hammond, Jr. made an amendment to include Article 24 in with Article 8. Mr. Hammond then withdrew his amendment.

ARTICLE #8

To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) for the purpose of implementing the closure of the landfill site, and to authorize the withdrawal of this sum for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund. **RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.**

A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Reginald Maisey to accept Article #8 as printed. James Dohrman, a representative of Dufresne-Henry spoke to the public in reference to the closing of the landfill site.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #8 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #24

To see if the town will vote to instruct the Board of Selectmen to cause the removal of the fifteen-inch diameter road culvert that was installed last year at Prescott Road for the purpose of draining surface water from the landfill into the Lamprey River. Further, Selectmen will cause the engineering study to provide for control of any surface water from draining onto Prescott Road. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.)

A motion was made by Lyman Hammond, Jr. and seconded by Dick Woods to by-pass Article #24.

ARTICLE #24 BY-PASSED.

ARTICLE #2

To see if the town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for, accept and expend, without further action by the town meeting, money from the State, Federal, or other governmental unit, or a private source, which becomes available during the year, provided the monies be used only for legal purposes for which a town may appropriate money and that the expenditure not require the expenditure of other town funds. Further, that the Selectmen will hold a public hearing on the action to be taken.

A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Joe Harpham to accept Article #2 as printed.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #2 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #3

To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charged for the year ensuing and make appropriations of same.

A motion was made by Stephen Sloan to accept Article #3, the amount being \$1,465,444.00 as printed, and to dispense with the reading of the budget. Seconded by Dick Wood.

A request by the following registered voters was made for a secret ballot on Article #3: Kaye Spinazzola, Sandra Ellis, Raymond Berry, Lyman Hammond, Jr., Susan David, Philip R. Talbot, Jr., Leona Berry, Richard Lahr and Donald C. Begg. A secret ballot of green yes or no was used. The polls opened at 1:03 p.m. until 1:23 p.m., at which time the meeting was recalled to order.

Results of Article #3 are as follows:

TOTAL VOTES CAST:	190
YES:	133
NO:	57

VOTE ON ARTICLE #3 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #4

To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

A motion was made by Dick Wood and seconded by Dana Kingston to accept Article #4 as printed.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #4 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #5

To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to transfer tax liens and convey property acquired by the town by tax collector's deed by public auction (or advertised sealed bid) or in such other manner as to be determined by the Selectmen as justice may require.

A motion was made by Sally Paradis and seconded by Dana Kingston to accept Article #5 as printed.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #5 IN AFFIRMATIVE

A motion was made by Delmar Anderson and seconded by Iber Gove to move to Articles 25, 26, and 27. Motion carried.

ARTICLE #25

To see if the town will vote to elect annually the Chief of Police for the Town of Raymond in accordance with the provisions of R.S.A. 41:47, the first election of a police chief to be held at the annual town meeting in 1986. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.)

A motion was made by Dwight Glidden and seconded by Peter Eaton to accept Article #25 as printed.

A request for a secret ballot by the following was made: Kaye Spinazzola, George Cottrell, Florence Glidden, Peter Eaton, William Newman and Edward Fahey. The pink yes or no ballot was used. The polls were opened at 1:57 p.m. and closed at 2:10 p.m.

Results of Article #25 are as follows:

TOTAL VOTES CAST:	204
YES:	50
NO:	154

VOTE ON ARTICLE #25 IN NEGATIVE

At this time, Selectperson Sally Paradis read a letter to the public from the Gordon Cammett family thanking the Town of Raymond for the dedication to Mr. Cammett of the 1984 Town Report.

Mrs. Paradis then proceeded to inform the public that the following persons were retiring from positions which they held in the town. They were Richard Audette, Stephen Sloan and Howard Mabry. The public applauded these people for their years of service. Mr. Audette served as Water Commissioner; Stephen Sloan and Howard Mabry served on the Budget Committee.

Mrs. Paradis then made the following resolution to Selectman James Turner:

Be it resolved that the Town of Raymond recognize the exceptional contribution of James R. Turner to the community as a selectman for fifteen years, to extend commendation and appreciation to him for the dedication and diligence he has exhibited in carrying out the responsibilities of this office, and further that this resolution be included in permanent records of this 1985 Town Meeting.

ARTICLE #26

To see if the town will vote to adopt the following By-Laws: No. 85-1 LOITERING: No person, shall conduct himself in a rude or disorderly manner nor use indecent or profane or insulting language in any street, public place, or public building in the town, nor be or remain upon any doorstep, portico, or other projection from any such building nor in any public hall or entrance thereto to the annoyance or disturbance of any person; nor shall any person engage in any game, sport, or amusement in any public street of the town whereby the safe and convenient use thereof by travelers thereon shall in any way be interrupted or the occupants of adjoining buildings be unreasonably annoyed or disturbed.

No. 85-2 ALCOHOL PROHIBITED: No person shall consume any liquor or beverage or possess any opened container thereof, as defined by N.H. Revised Statutes Annotated Chapter 175:1, while in any vehicle upon a public highway, sidewalk, common, beach, or other public lands, within the limits of the Town of Raymond.

No. 85-3 USE OF PUBLIC PROPERTY: All public parks, cemeteries, conservation areas and other public lands are closed to the public from nine o'clock in the evening (9:00 p.m.) until sunrise, except with written permission of the Board of Selectmen.

A. Penalty - Any person violating any of the provisions of these By-Laws or the rules and regulations made under the authority thereof, shall be liable to a penalty of not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100) for each offense.

B. Validity - The validity of any provision or section of these By-Laws shall not affect the validity of any other provision or section of these By-Laws.

These By-Laws will take effect upon their passage by the Annual Town Meeting of the Town of Raymond.

A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Kathleen Newell to accept Article #26 as printed.

A motion was made by Stephen Sloan to amend Article #26 by striking out the entire section of 85-2. Seconded by George Remick.

The vote on the amendment by a division of the house was as follows:

IN FAVOR OF AMENDMENT: 75

AGAINST AMENDMENT: 80

VOTE ON AMENDMENT FAILED

A motion was made by Hughin Holt to amend Article #26, Section 85-3 to add after Board of Selectmen - "or School Board, whomever has authority". Seconded by Kathleen Hoelzel.

AMENDMENT VOTED IN THE AFFIRMATIVE

A motion was made by Donald Begg to amend Article 26, Section 85-2 as follows: "Insert in front of beverage, alcoholic beverage". Gordon Gould seconded.

AMENDMENT VOTED IN THE AFFIRMATIVE

A motion was made by Dennis Lortie to amend Article 26, Section 85-3 to change the curfew time 9:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Seconded by Peter Eaton.

AMENDMENT REMOVED

A motion was made by Barry Rioux to amend Article 26, Section 85-2 to include "after the Town of Raymond", "except with written permission from the Board of Selectmen and School Board". Seconded by Kathleen Hoelzel.

AMENDMENT VOTED IN THE AFFIRMATIVE

A motion was made by Richard Ladd to amend Article 26, Section 85-3 to add "after public lands", "with the exception of streets and roads. Seconded by Kathleen Newell.

AMENDMENT VOTED IN THE AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE 26 VOTED IN AFFIRMATIVE AS AMENDED

ARTICLE #27

To see if the town will vote to adopt the following By-Law:

No. 85-4 PARKING

Parking regulations along the northeasterly side of Main Street from Depot Street to Epping Street shall be as follows:

1. Head-in parking only.
2. No parking allowed from the one-way street to Epping Street from nine o'clock in the evening (9:00 p.m.) until sunrise.
 - A. Penalty - any person violating any provision of this By-Law shall be guilty of a violation.
 - B. The invalidity of any provision or section of this By-Law shall not effect the validity of any provision or section of this By-Law.

This By-Law will take effect upon its passage by the Annual Town Meeting of the Town of Raymond.

A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Dick Woods to accept Article #27 as printed.

A motion was made by Mary Lou White and seconded by Chris Reeves to amend Article #27, Section 2 to read "no parking from midnight to sunrise."

AMENDMENT DEFEATED

A motion was made by Delmar Anderson and seconded by James Demeritt to amend Article #27 by adding Section C: No parking along the Main Street from the Common to Epping Street from 1:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.

AMENDMENT DEFEATED

The original motion of as printed carried.

ARTICLE #6

To see if the town will vote to transfer Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) from the Highway Department Capital Reserve Fund to the General Fund, with this sum to be applied toward the cost of the two vehicles purchased in 1984. RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Dick Woods to accept Article #6.
VOTE ON ARTICLE #6 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #7

To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of Forty-eight Thousand Dollars (\$48,000) as the town's share for replacing the Prescott Road Bridge, and to authorize the withdrawal of

this sum from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund. This appropriation is contingent upon receipts of Two Hundred Twenty-Four Thousand Dollars (\$224,000) in Federal aid, and Forty-eight Thousand Dollars (\$48,000) in State aid. RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

A motion was made by Dick Wood and seconded by Anne Pearson to accept Article #7 as printed.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #7 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #9

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000) for the purpose of acquiring sections of the Boston and Maine right-of-way in Raymond. RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

A motion was made by Dick Wood and seconded by Anne Pearson to accept Article #9 as printed.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #9 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #10

To see if the town will vote to increase the price of cemetery lots from One Hundred Twenty-five Dollars (\$125) to One Hundred Seventy-five Dollars (\$175) for a single space lot. Of the price, One Hundred Twenty-five Dollars (\$125) is to be placed in a Capitol Reserve Fund established for the purpose of improving and expanding the town's cemeteries naming the Selectmen as agents for the fund, and Fifty Dollars (\$50) is to be placed in the Cemetery Trust Fund Account, with interest earned to be used for perpetual care.

A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Warren Clifford to accept Article #10 as printed.

A motion was made by James Turner to amend Article #10 to read naming the Cemetery Trustees as agents. Seconded by Delmar Anderson.

AMENDMENT VOTED IN THE AFFIRMATIVE

Vote on Article #10 as amended in the Affirmative.

A motion was made by Margaret Case to move to Article #20. Seconded by Amy Mueller-Campbell.

ARTICLE #20

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand, Eight Hundred Seventy Dollars (\$3,870) to assist Rockingham Child and Family Services, a private, non-profit organization, to continue to provide counseling services for individuals and families in Raymond. This \$3,870 represents the pro-rated uncollected amount for services already rendered last year to Raymond residents for a total of 397 sessions with an actual cost of \$17,865 to Rockingham Child and Family Services. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.) **RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.**

A motion was made by Margaret Case and seconded by Bill Ryan to accept Article #20 as printed.

**VOTE ON ARTICLE #20 IN
THE AFFIRMATIVE**

ARTICLE #11

To see if the town will vote to transfer the funds received previously from the sale of cemetery lots and saw logs, currently in three savings accounts maintained by the town treasurer, to the Capital Reserve Fund established by Article 10 above. The savings account numbers are 7007758620, 7008829220 and 7008457320, totaling \$23,448.67, as of December 31, 1984.

A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Sally Paradis to accept Article #11 as printed.

**VOTE ON ARTICLE #11 IN
THE AFFIRMATIVE**

Stephen Sloan made a motion to vote on Articles 12, 13 and 14 at one time. Ron Simone seconded.

ARTICLE #12

To see if the town will vote to accept the Raymond Industrial Associates Fund in the amount of \$1,331.02 plus accrued interest, now on deposit with the town, and pursuant to N.H. Revised Statutes Annotated Chapter 31:37, pay said Fund over to the Trustees of Trust Funds to hold for purposes of management and investment as provided by statute, and to name the Selectmen as agents for the Fund, which shall be used to promote the Town of Raymond. **RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.**

ARTICLE #13

To see if the town will vote to adopt the provisions of N.H. Revised Statutes Annotated Chapter 162-J, so as to allow the town to foster and encourage the development of industrial facilities within its boundaries through a voluntary, non-profit corporation to be formed under the provisions of N.H.R.S.A. 292:1-17, alone or in concert with one or more other governmental units, by acquiring, developing, expanding, leasing, and disposing of such facilities. (Inserted on petition of twenty-five registered voters.)

ARTICLE #14

To see if the town will vote to establish the Raymond Industrial Corporation, a voluntary, non-profit corporation to be formed under the provisions of N.H. Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapter 292:1-17, for the purpose of implementing N.H. Revised Statutes Annotated Chapter 162-J:8 by fostering and encouraging the development of industrial facilities within the Town of Raymond; and upon the eventual dissolution or liquidation of such corporation, all of its assets shall vest in and be distributed to the town to take action relative thereto.

A motion was made by Stephen Sloan and seconded by Ronald Simone to accept Articles 12, 13 and 14 as printed.

**VOTE ON ARTICLES 12, 13, & 14
IN AFFIRMATIVE (Combined as one motion)**

ARTICLE #15

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) as a donation to the Raymond Ambulance Fund Association, Inc., a private, non-profit association which provides emergency care and transportation of citizens to the hospital and is operated solely by donations. The sum is to be used toward obtaining a second ambulance to provide needed coverage of an expanding population in our area. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.) **SUBMITTED WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.**

A motion was made by J. Chandler Newton and seconded by Raoul Rioux to accept Article #15 as printed.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #15 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #16

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars (\$6,800) to provide drainage in the Butterfield Lane/Lane Road area. SUBMITTED WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Malcolm Clifford to accept Article #16 with the amendment that the amount be decreased to \$5,500.00.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #16 AMENDED IN THE NEGATIVE

A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Malcolm Clifford to amend Article #16 to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,500 to provide drainage in the Butterfield Lane/Lane Road/Fordway Road area.

VOTE ON AMENDMENT IN THE AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #17

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Thousand, Four Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$8,450) for the support of the Exeter Area Visiting Nurse Association. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.) RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

A motion was made by John Ornell and seconded by Stephen Sloan to accept Article #17 as printed.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #17 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #18

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500) to assist the Seacoast Regional Mental Health Center, Inc. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.) RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

A motion was made by James Turner and seconded by Dick Wood to accept Article #18 as printed.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #18 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #19

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Eighty-eight Dollars (\$6,088) for the Greater Raymond Community Action Center, part of the Rockingham County Community Action Program, Inc., a private, non-profit, anti-poverty agency. This amount represents 2.5% of

\$267,531, the value of services rendered to Raymond residents from September 1, 1983 through August 31, 1984. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.) RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

A motion was made by Amy Mueller-Campbell and seconded by Anne Pearson to accept Article #19 as printed.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #19 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #21

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000) for the Newmarket Regional Health Center services and programs, including both the Medical Program and the Senior Citizens Transportation Program. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.) RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

A motion was made by James Demeritt and seconded by Richard Dolan to accept Article #21 as printed.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #21 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #22

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500) to defray a portion of the cost of services rendered by the Area Homemaker-Home Health Aide Service, Inc. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.) RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

A motion was made by Calvin Warburton and seconded by Mary Richards to accept Article #22 as printed.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #22 IN AFFIRMATIVE

ARTICLE #23

To see if the town will vote to instruct the Board of Selectmen to retain any and all washed sand material at the Water Department site on Old Manchester Road. Said sand to be used solely for the purpose of any town use, for any town project or maintenance as needed. Further, said washed sand will have a fixed price at per cubic yard to be paid to the Water Department. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.)

A motion was made by Lyman Hammond, Jr. and seconded by James Demeritt to amend Article #23 to read that the price per cubic yard at \$.50 to be paid to the Water Department, and that the Article should read the Board of Selectmen to retain all materials at the Water Department site on Old Manchester Road. Said

sand and all other materials to be used solely for the purpose of any town and school use.

VOTE ON AMENDMENT IN AFFIRMATIVE

A motion was made by Ronald Simone and seconded by Dana Kingston to end the Article after purpose of any town and school use.

VOTE ON AMENDMENT FAILED

A motion was made by James Demeritt to approve Article #23 as amended. Seconded by Richard Dolan.

**VOTE ON ARTICLE #23 AS AMENDED
IN AFFIRMATIVE**

A motion was made by James Demeritt and seconded by Sally Paradis to adjourn the meeting at 4:42 p.m.

A True Record - Attest:

Gloria E. Carney
Town Clerk/Tax Collector

**SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
September 14, 1985**

The Special Town Meeting of Raymond, NH was held at the Raymond High School Gymnasium on Saturday, September 14, 1985. The meeting was called to order at 9:35 a.m. by Moderator Chandler Newton and recessed so that the voters could go through the checklist.

Meeting reconvened at 9:45 a.m. The Moderator announced the Ballot Clerks for the meeting as follows: Assunta Ege, Rita Curtis, Joan King, Francis O'Brien, Delmar Anderson, Elizabeth Robinson, Sandra Ellis, and Pauline Gordon. Voting cards issued were "E" Yellow cards.

Calvin Warburton offered a prayer and the Flag of the United States of America was saluted.

The Moderator read the following letter from Frank Case: "I am sorry that I am not able to be here as your moderator today. In August I went to the Town Office Building and informed the Selectmen's Office that I would not be in Raymond on the weekend of September 13th, 14th, and 15th; however, this Special Meeting has to be held on this day, so I apologize for my absence. This day has been set aside for almost a year as this is the day that I become the President of the New Hampshire Pharmaceutical Association."

The Moderator then read the Protest Petition and stated that in accordance with RSA 675:5, a

two-thirds vote would be needed to pass Article #III Zoning Amendment #2. The Warrant was then read by the Moderator. The Moderator announced that the polls would open at 10:00 a.m. for the ballot articles.

All ballot boxes had been inspected, locked and sealed before the opening of the polls.

ARTICLE #1

TO SEE IF THE TOWN WILL VOTE TO AUTHORIZE THE PLANNING BOARD TO PREPARE AND AMEND A RECOMMENDED PROGRAM OF MUNICIPAL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTED OVER A PERIOD OF AT LEAST SIX (6) YEARS AS PROVIDED BY RSA 674:5 AND TO REPORT TO THE TOWN AT THE 1986 TOWN MEETING AS TO THE APPROPRIATENESS OF CONTINUING OR MODIFYING THE TOWN'S GROWTH MANAGEMENT RESTRICTIONS.

Motion made by Stephen Sloan and seconded by Harold Wood to adopt Article #1 as read.

VOTE ON ARTICLE #1 in the AFFIRMATIVE

James Demeritt moved to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Ann Pearson.

VOTE TO ADJOURN in the AFFIRMATIVE

Nelson Sherman was sworn in by Chandler Newton at 11:30 a.m. to serve as Moderator Pro Tem during his absence.

Moderator, Chandler Newton declared the polls closed at 6:00 p.m.

THE RESULTS OF THE VOTING WERE AS FOLLOWS:

ARTICLE #2	372	YES	317	NO
ARTICLE #3	275	YES	414	NO

A true record - Attest:

Gloria E. Carney
Town Clerk/Tax Collector

REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR/HEALTH OFFICER

In 1985 we have again seen extraordinary growth in the community with 224 new homes permitted and under construction.

The quality of Raymond's housing stock is improving as time passes and we have seen the addition of some fixed income elderly housing.

We entered the condominium age in "85" with nearly 70 units under construction and 32 more receiving approval for 1986.

Along with our ever continuing residential growth, we have again begun to see commercial and industrial growth seeming to be spurred by our proximity to the newly opened highway.

Our tax base will be broadened by 10% when 85's permitted construction is completed. This

figure is in excess of 16 million dollars. With over one half that amount already completed and the rest under construction presently.

Again in 85 we have had a dramatic number of failed septic systems. It would appear lack of maintenance is the leading cause of failure. Each system should be pumped at least every three years and limit the amounts of detergents and greases put into the system. These procedures should help you realize the full life expectancy of your system.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard J. Mailhot
Building/Health Officer

REPORT OF THE RAYMOND PLANNING BOARD

The Raymond Planning Board has been very busy in 1985. There has been a 50% increase in Site Plan Reviews and a 60% increase in subdivisions.

The Planning Board has been meeting an average of four nights a month in order to keep up with the hearing demand. The Board has worked hard toward building a substantial tax base throughout the Town of Raymond. We have put many hours into updating the zoning ordinances to further insure that the growth of Raymond is an asset to the Town now and in the future.

This year, 1986, should be even busier than 1985 for subdivisions and site plans. There will be much work done on the Master Plan to bring

it up to date and working with the Capital Improvement Program will be done as well. We will also update the zoning ordinances even more in the future.

Due to the increased growth of the Town, we have increased our rates so that developers will have to bear more of the costs.

The Planning Board is made up of volunteer citizens of the Town of Raymond who have unselfishly given their time for the betterment of Raymond. As Chairman of the Planning Board, I would like to congratulate them on a job well done and I would hope that the Town appreciates their efforts as well as I do. We look forward to working with the people of Raymond and the Planning Board welcomes input from any citizen.

James Demeritt, Chairman
Raymond Planning Board

ROAD AGENT ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1985

An additional 3,600 feet of Langford Road was reconstructed this past year. Over a period of four years, we have completed this project which started on the Raymond/Candia line, and was continued to the Raymond Town/State line.

Another 1,600 feet of Epping Street was resurfaced. A series of new catch basins, dropped inlets, manholes, run-off culverts, and cape cod sidewalks were also constructed. The Epping Street reconstruction project will continue to Route 17 this coming year.

The following roadways were prepped and seal coated: A portion of Langford Road; Spring Street; Stoneybrook Lane; Merrick Road; and Hunter Drive.

A total of forty-nine new driveway permits were issued this past year.

Equipment: All presently owned town equipment is in very good condition, with the

exception of the one-ton small dump truck which should be replaced this year.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all citizens for their patience while the reconstruction projects were in progress and apologize for any inconveniences we may have caused.

A sincere thank you to all whose combined efforts continue to make the Raymond Highway Department an efficient operation. A special thanks to all crew members for their quick response whenever called upon, and to their families for patience and tolerance of an unpredictably disrupted winter schedule.

Respectfully submitted,

Kevin W. Hammond
Highway Agent

REPORT OF THE POLICE CHIEF

Once again our statistics have reflected the growth we all know is going to be a way of life for the next five years. We thank you for your support in helping us keep the statistics below national averages.

Each of your officers has increased in proficiency by attending specialized training through Police Standards and Training Council as well as attending seminars in a wide range of subjects.

We have had the pleasure of working closely with the school system in driver education; street law classes, on both the high school and junior high level; safety sessions; and phone in program at the elementary level. The Task Force on Drugs and Alcohol is once again looking for ways to help our young people recognize the dangers of abusing drugs and alcohol.

We have initiated the S.E.A.T. (Safe Exit and Transportation) Program, and although it did not spread like wild-fire, it is not dead and with some modifications that we discussed with high school students, the program will continue to be available.

We have accomplished all of our goals this year and remained within our budget. We received two Federal grants through the State Department of Highway Safety. One to enforce driving while intoxicated laws, and one for 50% funding for replacement radar. This coming year we are seeking 50% funding for a new patrolman.

Our Hunter Safety Program was a great success as we certified 29 residents as safe hunters. We will continue to offer programs and we would like to extend our appreciation to William Carney who assisted with the instruction again this year. We will continue to meet and speak at driver education classes, girl and boy scouts, pre-school, and any other interested civic or social groups. Requests may be made through the Chief and no group is too small.

Your officers have represented you throughout the county and state in a highly professional and proficient manner including, but not limited to, these areas: Police Standards and Training, Prosecutors Association, Rockingham Law Enforcement Association, New Hampshire Law Enforcement Association and there were contacts with other departments.

In the coming year we are planning to initiate a

walking patrol during the evening hours throughout the town, Green Hills, and the shopping center. We are also considering computerizing a location system and filing system in conjunction with fire and dispatch. The additional man will allow us to have two officers on duty most of the time.

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to the wives and families of each of the officers for their understanding and support through the long and trying situations. Our supporters and assistants, without whom we could not have functioned in so many situations, are also due our sincere thanks and gratitude. They are: Dispatch, Fire Personnel, Ambulance Association, Highway Department, State Police, and Officers from surrounding towns. We also thank the Town Office Personnel, Recreation Department, and School Personnel who manage to help us in so many ways. Thank you for your support and assistance. A special thanks to the Barnes family for the many things they do to make the task pleasant and for their generosity to our officer in recognition of their efforts. We are proud to be part of the Town of Raymond and trust the department will be able to continue to serve you and retain your trust and gratitude.

For the Raymond Police Department

Respectfully,

Richard E. Dolan
Chief

1985 Departmental Statistics

	1982	1983	1984	1985
Accidents	235	194	246	346
Alarms	—	145	169	181
Arrests	254	218	286	308
Arsons	10	2	9	1
Assaults	27	26	23	27
Burglaries	118	64	59	65
Civil Service	—	19	71	88
Domestics	73	128	133	126
Juvenile Petitions	20	19	20	25
Larcenies	194	202	147	266
Malicious Damage	146	155	192	216
Missing Persons	21	35	47	58
Motorist Assists	—	105	460	284
Mutual Aid	—	276	372	530
Sexual Assaults	2	1	1	3
Untimely Deaths	7	10	8	6
All Other Complaints	1048	1229	1174	2034
Total Calls for Service	2265	3049	3639	4564
District Court Complaints	1129	1321	1532	1528
Superior Court Inditements	—	10	12	17
Total Cases Processed	3394	4380	5183	6109



Peter J. Dyrkacz
First Recipient of Raymond Police Department's
Medal For Bravery
January 6, 1986

RAYMOND DISPATCH CENTER ANNUAL REPORT

The year 1985 was a very busy one for the Dispatch Center. As in the past our work basically grows at the same rate as that of the Police Department. The Police Department expects to add another officer this year which will add to the clerical work of the Center. We also expect to add another Dispatcher. This will leave the Chief Dispatcher to administer the Department, fill in for sick days and vacations which will cut down the need for overtime, and administer the office procedure for the Police. This will also give us a fully trained and knowledgeable dispatcher available in the system. This will also allow the dispatchers to dispatch, which is, after all, their function.

On stormy days the Dispatch receives as many as 100 calls in reference to school closing. I would like to urge everyone to listen for the fire siren at 6:30 and also to listen to their radio on the stations listed in the school directories. We receive calls on all lines which could interfere with a real emergency.

I would also like to mention calls for power outages. The evening in January when all power was out for two hours, we received over 200

calls wanting to know why and when it would be back on. We try to call Public Service when we first hear of an outage, but we have the same number that is in the book and find it as busy as you all do. Unless it is an accident, we have no more idea what the problem is or how soon it will be taken care of. So! Please refrain from calling Dispatch.

I wish to thank all my Dispatchers for their loyalty and devotion to duty.

Our thanks to the Raymond Police Department, the Raymond Fire Department, the Raymond Ambulance Association, the Raymond Highway Department and the Animal Control Officers, Town Office Personnel and all other departments with whom we are associated, for another year of continued cooperation and assistance.

Thanks also to the people of Raymond for their on-going interest and support.

Respectfully submitted,

Marian E. Lovejoy, Chief
Raymond Dispatch Center

RAYMOND FIRE DEPARTMENT ANNUAL REPORT

The Raymond Fire Department responded to 196 calls in 1985, broken down as follows:

Assist at Accidents	17
Brush Fires	27
Car Fires	19
Chimney Fires	19
Electrical Problems	10
False Alarms	15
Gas Wash Downs	15
Jaws of Life	6
Miscellaneous	23
Mutual Aid	15
Service Calls	13
Smoke Investigations	16
Structure Fires	11

I did 237 inspections, broken down as follows:

Day Care Centers	5
Fire Safety	113
Foster Home	5
Occupancy	53
Oil Burner	11
Wood-Coal Stove	27
Chimney	13

I want to sincerely thank all the dedicated Firemen who put in more than 3,600 hours and traveled more than 500 miles fighting fires, maintaining equipment and training in all kinds of weather, all hours of the day and night, interrupting meals, family gatherings, etc. Their families deserve the biggest "Thank You" available. I also want to thank the Ambulance Association, Police Department and Dispatch for their assistance.

We had 5 more Firefighters complete Firefighter 1 and 8 Firefighters completed "Career Level". We currently have 4 Firefighters taking Firefighter 1 which is 116 hours of training.

The value of property involved in structure fires in 1985 amounts to \$517,300.00 with an estimated fire loss of \$76,000.00. We are keeping our fire loss down but as the town continues to grow, our calls are increasing. We had a very dry spring which increased the number of brush fires and the number of acres burned.

Since 1975 when the last major piece of equipment, Engine 1, was purchased, the town population has increased more than 5 times. The Fire Department budget has only gone up 2½ times. This year it will be up more as we feel it is time to start putting on some full time firemen. Also coming in the near future will be the need for a ladder truck, another engine and possibly a utility van.

The Fire Department has also been represented on a Safety Complex Committee looking into the space needs of the Fire Department, Police Department, Ambulance Association, Dispatch and Town Office. They all are in need of more space and it looks like we will be recommending some major building including substations and central station in the not too distant future.

Respectfully submitted,

Gordon E. Gould
Fire Chief

REPORT OF TOWN FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND STATE FOREST RANGER

Between July 1984 and June 1985, we experienced more forest fires throughout our state than in any year in the last 50. Two of the leading causes of the 1,605 fires were children and fires kindled without written permission of a Forest Fire Warden. Both causes are preventable, but only with **your** help.

Please help our town and state forest fire officials with forest fire prevention. Contact your Forest Fire Warden for more information.

Enforcement of a state timber harvest regulations is the responsibility of State Forestry Officials. Our state has excellent timber harvest regulations; however, your assistance is needed.

If you know of a logging operation and suspect a state timber harvest law may be violated, call your Forest Fire Warden.

If you own forest land, you will become responsible for the timber tax payment starting April 1, 1986. This is a change in the Timber Tax Law that will impact all forest landowners. Contact your Board of Selectmen for timber tax forms.

FOREST FIRE STATISTICS - 1985

Number Fires Statewide	1,605
Acres Burned Statewide	1,580
Cost of Suppression	\$246,017
District 9 Fires	668
Acres	513.5

Respectfully submitted,

Kim Salamy
Forest Ranger

Gordon E. Gould
Warden

RAYMOND CIVIL DEFENSE ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1985

In the past year, 1985, the Raymond Civil Defense Agency updated and expanded the Towns "Basic Emergency Management Plan". During Hurricane Gloria, the plan was put to the test. Because of the preplanning, the local departments and agencies worked smoothly together to mitigate the problems caused by the storm.

The Mobile Command Post Van equipped with the new generator along with some new radio equipment, giving an uninterrupted communication system, was also used during the storm to provide communications between the two emergency sheltering facilities (Raymond High School and the Ray-Fre Senior Citizens Center) and the Emergency Operations Center at the Fire Station.

The Raymond Civil Defense Agency along with the Raymond Fire Department, Ambulance Association, Police Department, Dispatch Center and Highway Department conducted training on Mass Casualty and Hazardous Materials.

In 1986, we hope to conduct a Radiological Monitoring Course. As well as work with the Raymond Fire Department and Ambulance Association with training on different types of rescue that may some day be needed in the Town of Raymond.

Approximately 50% of the Civil Defense expenditures were reimbursed to the Town of Raymond by the Federal Government.

We hope to expand the Civil Defense equipment and resources to help solve some of the shortages, we experienced during Hurricane Gloria.

With different activities throughout the year, the other agencies, departments, private citizens and town officials came to realize that Civil Defense is not just a couple of people preparing for a war or a nuclear disaster. It is all the agencies and departments in the Town planning and working together to help mitigate the effects of any disaster, large or small, in the Town of Raymond.

I would like to thank the other members of the Civil Defense Agency, the members of the Raymond Fire Department, Ambulance Association, Police Department, Dispatch Center, Highway Department, employees of the Town Office and the Selectmen for all their assistance and support throughout the year 1985.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard A. Davis, Director
Raymond Civil Defense

REPORT OF THE DUDLEY-TUCKER LIBRARY

As the Town of Raymond grows, the needs of the library increase and more people have to be served in new and different ways. The library has had a very busy year. Regular programs at the library include Story Time for preschoolers at 10:30 on Tuesday mornings, childrens film programs once a month, and adult film programs four times a year. The Raymond Writers Group has continued this year meeting from 7 - 8:30 on the second and fourth Thursday evenings.

The Epping/Raymond Head Start groups, the Village Kindergarten, the Raymond Preschool, Windy Hill Preschool, Ms. Stewart's class, Ms. Fosher's eleventh graders, and Jan Coffey's Brownie Troop have attended film programs or in some other way, have visited the library in groups.

The IRS held an outreach program and the MS Read-A-Thon fund-raiser was sponsored by the library again. The summer reading program featured the Reading Rainbow books as seen on Channel 11. A wrap-up party was held on August 20.

The library Board of Trustees, Iber Gove, Margaret Case, and Barbara Beardsley, and I met regularly on the first Monday of the month 7:30. I was secretary of the Merri-Hill-Rock Coop this year, attending their monthly meetings. Peg Case joined at the Coop Meeting with the Trustees in Manchester. Sherry Brox attended with me the two Friends of the Library Meetings. In addition to the New Hampshire Library and New England Library Associations meetings, I also attended a law workshop at the Supreme Court Library, a lecture on Emily Dickinson, and an Employee Evaluation Workshop.

I am on the Inter-Library Loan Sub-Committee of the New Hampshire Automated Information Systems Board. Peg Case and I visited the Hopkinton Elementary School to check into an automated circulation system. On August 23, 1985, I was awarded the Master of Library and Information Studies from the University of Rhode Island.

Statistics of 1985

Circulation	
Adult	12,092
Juvenile	7,940
Total	20,032
New Registered Patrons	406
Average Monthly Attendance	
(Number includes all activities as well as general library use.)	725
New Materials Added to the Collection (By purchase and gift)	777

Following is a list of people I'd like to thank for their help to the library in ways which include time, money, books, etc. Any errors or omissions should be brought to my attention.

Carol Weatherbee	Glenn Brown
Karen Currier	Lou Dannis
Dorian Chase	Harvey Lang
Tim Kinsella	Ruth Hoffman
Sandy Landis	Linda Colton
Sara Pierson	Russ Ege
Allen Rideout	Howard Mabry
Mary Cogut	Eunice Fraser
Guy Dow, Jr.	Jennifer McKown
David and Kathy Bailey	Jacqueline Dimando
Neil and Sally Iverson	Carol Audette
Reginald Maisey	Elisa Page
Elaine Schmottlach	Terry Austrew
Liz O'Shea	Jessie Cheadle
Grace Desrosiers	Carol Miller
Gizella Anna Miller	James Delorey
	Yvonne D'Iorio

I'd also like to thank the Trustees for their support, Betty O'Donnell for her help in returning State Library books, Jennie Dunn who works for us under Green Thumb, Inc. and Sherry Brox who fills in when needed.

Janet D. Brown
Librarian

RAYMOND RECREATION COMMISSION ANNUAL REPORT

June of 1985 marked the 8th year of the Raymond Parks & Recreation Department full time existence. 1985 was a year of the usual and the unusual. Most of the very successful programs continued their popularity. The Aerobics Program continues to be the number one draw for local adults with many sessions filled to capacity of 70 people or more. The volunteer leaders of this program are to be commended for their countless hours of volunteer effort, in some cases spanning 4 or 5 years. Without their hard work and commitment, the Aerobics Program would not be the overwhelming success it is.

Other Adult Programs that have continued with their success include Men's Basketball, Co-ed Volleyball, Women's volleyball, Men's Indoor Soccer, Young Adult's Basketball and Men's Summer Soccer. The Recreation Department has attempted to expand its educational programming with some successes and, unfortunately, some failures. Computer classes, Black & White Photography, Bookkeeping, Basic American Sign Language, Calligraphy and Jointed Teddy Bear were all successful this year. Seminole Patchwork, Writing Workshop and the Woman's Self Awareness Workshop.

Youth Programming maintained its importance in 1985 with the Recreation Department placing a high priority on the Summer Playground and Swim Lessons. The Summer Playground program, which is an all day, 7 week program for children in Raymond, saw another successful year. Registrations for the Program were 207, the largest age group being 4th, 5th, and 6th graders. They made up 46% (96) of the total enrollment. The children participating in the program were involved in a variety of daily activities which included weekly trips to Pawtuckaway as well as trips to Canobie Lake, Ft. McCleary, to the Isles of Shoals on the Viking Sun, Odiorne State Park, the Stoneham Zoo, Old Ironsides, The Museum of Science, Cannon Mt. and The Flume, Roller-skating and Chuck-E-Cheeses.

Daily Arts & Crafts and special events filled in the week's activities which kept many children busy for most of the summer. Many children participated in soccer games against other communities and daily trips to the high school to use the tennis courts and soccer field located there. The Program ended with the very popular Penny Carnival and Balloon Release at McDonalds.

The Summer Swimming Program was well attended this year with 158 children participating in the two sessions of Red Cross Swim lessons offered in July and August. The Program was not without problems. Onway Lake was affected by the shortage of trained lifeguards, which was felt statewide. A special thanks to Anne Edwards, the Water Safety Instructor Head Lifeguard, for her efforts to provide lifeguard protection to keep the beach open as much as possible.

Other Youth Programs included Saturday Swimming Lessons at New Hampshire College, Youth Basketball, Youth Soccer in which 10 teams from Raymond and surrounding communities competed throughout the winter, and the Learn to Ski Program at the Highland Ski Area.

Late Summer and Fall saw the organization of the Raymond Youth Soccer Club. This group, while sponsored by the Recreation Department, has nearly taken over the overall operations of all Youth Soccer Programs. The success of this Program is due to the hardwork and dedication of many volunteers. Coaches put in countless hours of coaching, participating in organizational meetings, and refereeing, while other concerned parents worked diligently behind the scenes doing the hours and hours of legwork necessary to run a weekly program with over 150 children participating.

The highlight of the season was the day-long Jamboree sponsored by the club in which 300 children from Raymond and surrounding communities participated. Thank you to all those volunteers that made this first season the success that it was.

A major project for the Parks & Recreation Department maintenance workers was the installation of an automated watering system for the Common in the center of town. With adequate water and fertilization, we were able to keep Lyman Park green all summer long. Flowers and shrubs have added a bit of color to the Bandstand. One hundred and fifty tulips planted last Fall will break through this Spring and brighten up the Bandstand and Monument. Workers accomplished this in between the many baseball games, soccer games and other daily duties they are expected to do.

The Raymond Parks and Recreation Department was also involved in a cultural exchange with International Students from New

Hampshire College. Members of the Raymond Men's Indoor Soccer Team competed in an informal soccer match against the Malaysian Soccer Team made up of Malaysian students attending New Hampshire College. Raymond, as a community, participated in an International Day at New Hampshire College sponsored by the School of Human Services. Members of the Raymond Historical Society, the Community Learning Group, and Raymond Voice staff participated in the afternoon's activities.

It is the goal of the Parks and Recreation Department not to try to do everything, but to provide a resource for the many community groups already doing things, or trying to do things to enable **them** to accomplish **their** goals with the Recreation Department filling in the gaps. We work with many groups in town providing some services as needed. Some examples we help arrange are trips for the Senior Citizens, Girl Scouts and some church groups. We also provide some office services to the R.Y.A.A. (typing, running things off, etc.)

The Raymond Arts Associates is a cooperative Community/School venture that has blossomed this past year. The Recreation Department is involved with this program to a limited extent, providing the necessary services to help them provide the activities they feel are important. Again, the success of this idea is due to the hard work and dedication of the many volunteers, and we are pleased to be of some help.

The development of community recreation programs and leisure activities has relied heavily on the use of school facilities as a center of community activities. Last year nearly 1300 different community activities were housed in school facilities. This number does not include the large number of groups which utilize the athletic fields for outside activities or activities which are school related in any way. Over the years, we have had a tendency to take this use of the school for granted. It is important to remember that the school buildings in many communities are just school buildings. In Raymond, the school buildings are more. They are community buildings we use, and use a lot.

A project the Recreation Department began in 1985 and plans to continue work on in 1986 is the idea of a gymnastics co-op to bring quality gymnastics to the youth of Raymond.

The Recreation Department flourishes on local input and your input is not only appreciated and sought after - it is necessary.

Please plan to participate in one or more of the many community activities or come to the monthly Recreation Commission Meetings held in the Raymond High School on the second Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

RECREATION COMMISSION MEMBERS:

Francesca Morrissey, Chairperson

Sandra Ellis

Chris Mataragas

Sally Paradis

Frederick Welch



Up, Up & Away

Raymond Parks & Recreation

RAYMOND AMBULANCE FUND ASSOCIATION, INC.
ANNUAL REPORT
January thru December 1985

The Raymond Ambulance Fund Association, Inc. completed a monumental year in 1985. No report could ever reflect the hours of work and concern put in by dozens of people including our own. This great task resulted in our purchasing and equipping an additional Ambulance for our Service.

In 1985, the Ambulance responded to 607 runs to handle 637 patients. The mileage totaled 21,485 miles and the man hours involved totaled 2,291 hours and 36 minutes. This is actual run time, not counting the hundreds of hours needed to attend classes, schooling and meetings. Of the 607 calls, 570 of them were for a direct emergency.

Towns Visited:

Raymond	357
Candia	113
Deerfield	79
Nottingham	36
Fremont	24
Epping	4
Chester	1

Hospitals Visited:

Exeter	250
Elliot	217
Catholic Medical Center	34
Veterans Administration	11
Concord	17
Parkland Medical Center	7
Pease Air Force Base	3
Wentworth Douglas	1

Expenses for 1985:

Maintenance	\$3,194.89
Gas	2,865.57
Supplies (general)	998.11
New Equipment	451.33
Education	344.00

New Ambulance 41A1:

Cost for Ambulance	\$47,425.00
New Equipment	1,921.20
Supplies	1,758.59
Housing Renovations (41A2)	1,261.01

As you can see, the expense has been enormous. To all the great supporters, towns, and residents alike, we say "Thank you" for your help. This is the only way we can exist without a bill being sent to a recipient of our service. As you probably realize, we are a separate organization not connected to the Police Department, Fire Department or Town Selectmen, yet without the help of all of these named organizations, we could not exist with the same consistency and expertise we pride ourselves with.

We would like to especially say thank you to the members of the Raymond Fire Department, Raymond Police Department and Dispatch Center, and to the Rescue Squads, Police and Firemen of the various towns we serve.

To the families of ours that get stranded, left alone, ignored (at times), pushed aside and many other inconveniences too numerous to mention, we say thank you from the bottom of our hearts. Without their help and love, we would not be able to continue our service to you.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard E. Lahr, President
Raymond Ambulance Fund Assoc.

REPORT OF THE SOUTHERN NEW HAMPSHIRE PLANNING COMMISSION

A wide variety of services, resources and technical assistance is made available to your town through the dues-paying membership in the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission. A professional planning staff, assisted by consultants in certain disciplines for which the Commission does not employ a full-time staff, work under the overall direction of your representatives in developing and carrying out planning programs that are deemed important for your community as well as for the region.

Staff services provided under the Commission's local assistance program are mostly decided by the communities themselves. However, certain general studies, notifications or acquisition of resources which are deemed useful to all member-municipalities are also made under this program with a directive of the Commission.

Local Assistance services provided to the Town of Raymond during the past year were as follows:

1. Provided the Planning Board with the 1980 U.S. Census data on Raymond's employment force, and the data on Rockingham County business patterns;
2. Advised the Planning Board on the types of "impact studies" that the Board should require for medium to large developments;
3. Provided consultations to the town in its quest to amend the zoning ordinance in order to place a limit on building permits;
4. At their request, the staff attended a meeting of the Raymond Industrial Commission;
5. Assisted the Selectmen's office with the preparation of the 1985 Community Development Block Grant application. The town received a grant of approximately \$276,000;
6. Provided assistance in amending the Environmental Review Record to be developed in connection with the preceding grant;
7. Procured a set of 1981 aerial photos for the Town of Raymond from the U.S. Department of Agriculture; and
8. Co-sponsored the Municipal Law Lecture Series to which Raymond officials were invited.

Raymond's Representatives to the Commission are:

Mr. Stephen Sloan
Mr. Roland Simone

Executive Committee Member:

Mr. Stephen Sloan



State of New Hampshire
Department of Revenue Administration

61 South Spring Street P.O. Box 457

Concord, 03301

David J. Power, CPA
Commissioner

MUNICIPAL SERVICES DIVISION

FREDERICK E. LAPLANTE
Director

LORRAINE F. RACETTE
Assistant Director

Selectmen/Raymond

Gentlemen:

November 27, 1985

Your Summary Inventory of Property Valuation and Statement of Appropriations have been approved. You may proceed with the assessment of 1985 taxes on the basis of the following figures.

Net Assessed Valuation \$159,951,915.00

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Town Property Taxes Assessed	\$3,918,822.00
Precinct Taxes Assessed	
Total Gross Property Taxes	\$3,918,822.00
Less: Est. War Service Tax Credits	28,425.00
Net Property Tax Commitment*	\$3,890,397.00

Tax Rate - Town 24.50
Precinct

* The amount of property tax commitment is subject to adjustment by reason of any increase or decrease in War Service Tax Credits which may result based on the above approved rate.

In the event any adjustment was made in the Appropriations Section, we have enclosed a copy of the changes. Revenues and Credits have been approved as shown on the enclosed copy of the third page of the Statement of Appropriation.

The net amounts approved for school, county and precincts are indicated below. These amounts are the total monies which should be transferred to each of these units of government.

Net School Appropriations	\$3,272,037.00
County Tax Assessment	140,479.00
Net Precinct Appropriation (1)	

In arriving at the above approved rate the Overlay has been set in the amount of \$ 113,068.00

Very truly yours,

Everett V. Taylor

Everett V. Taylor, Commissioner

DGP:sf

Enclosure

(1) In case of more than one precinct, see attached sheet.

NOTE: See attached letter for details of appeal procedure. (R.S.A. 41:15 Amended, 1983)

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION — 1985

Value of All Lands:		
Assessed Value of Current Use Land	852,390.00	
Assessed Value of All Other Land	<u>60,117,415.00</u>	60,969,805.00
Buildings		98,975,710.00
Public Water Utility		139,500.00
Public Utilities		<u>2,634,350</u>
TOTAL VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS		162, 719.365.00
Less:		
Blind Exemptions (3)		45,000.00
Elderly Exemptions (209)		2,714,250.00
Solar/Windpower Exemptions (2)		<u>8,200.00</u>
TOTAL EXEMPTIONS ALLOWED		<u>2,767,450.00</u>
NET VALUATION ON WHICH TAX RATE IS COMPUTED		159,951,915.00

UTILITY SUMMARY

Public Service Company	1,818,250.00
N.H. Electric Co-operative	<u>816,100.00</u>
TOTAL	2,634,350.00

CURRENT USE REPORT

Types of Elderly Exemptions Being Granted

Adjusted Elderly Exemption Adopted 1983

Elderly Exemption Count

Number of Individuals Applying for an Elderly Exemption - 1985	13 at 10,000.00
	3 at 15,000.00
	2 at 20,000.00
Number of Individuals Granted an Elderly Exemption - 1985	3 at 5,000.00
	119 at 10,000.00
	55 at 15,000.00
	32 at 20,000.00

CURRENT USE REPORT

Total Number of Individual Property Owners in Current Use.	70
Total Number of Acres Taken Out of Current Use During Year.	198.00
Total Number of Acres Exempted Under Current Use.	4,674.55

	No. of Owners	No. of Acres
Applicants Granted in Prior Years		
Farmland	17	186.50
Forest Land	35	1828.41
Wild Land		
1) Unproductive	26	958.37
2) Productive	9	294.35
3) Natural Preserve	1	1.00
Recreation Land	4	682.50
Wet Land	21	390.50
Discretionary Easements	1	4.43
New Applicants Granted for 1985		
Farm Land	1	21.00
Forest Land	1	85.00
Wet Land	1	15.00
TOTALS		
Farm Land	18	207.50
Forest Land	36	2120.90
Wild Land		
1) Unproductive	26	958.37
2) Productive	9	294.35
3) Natural Preserve	1	1.00
Recreation Land	4	682.50
Wet Land	22	405.50
Discretionary Easements	1	4.43

**TOWN OF RAYMOND
EMPLOYEES WAGES 1985**

Jean C. Acres	2,692.50	TOS
Delmar Anderson	74.99	Ballot Clerk
Richard Audette	426.00	Maintenance
Richard C. Bates	16,599.96	Recreation Director
Janet H. Beaulieu	5,699.59	Bldg./Hlth., Board of Adjustment,
Donald Begg	86.00	Planning Board, TOS, TOE
William Bemis	452.50	Dispatch
Donald R. Bergman	8,221.90	Maintenance
Sandra Bergman	13,774.38	Dispatch
Sandra J. Bilodeau	13,520.31	Dispatch
		TOS, TOE, Board of Adjustment
		Planning Board
Lisa A. Bishop	1,530.23	Recreation
Janet Bouchard	1,260.00	Cemetery
Joseph H. Bouchard	2,305.50	Cemetery
Janet Brown	13,353.60	Librarian
Charlene Brox	753.81	Library Aide
Diane Campagnola	373.00	Recreation
Gloria E. Carney	17,649.84	TOS
Heather Carver	686.00	Recreation
Frank Case	100.00	Moderator
Margaret Case	49.99	Ballot Clerk
Nigal Chapman	381.00	Maintenance
Nancy Cole	462.82	Recreation
Carolyn Cottrell	100.00	Trustee of Trust Funds
Rita Curtis	25.00	Ballot Clerk
Richard Davis	16,562.09	Maintenance/Dump/Dispatch
Shirley Dodge	300.00	Supervisor of Checklist
Richard E. Dolan	23,700.00	Police Chief
Kristin Dye	687.40	Recreation
Peter Dyrkacz	14,678.46	Police
Anne Edwards	2,806.14	Trustee of Trust Funds, Recreation
Christine Edwards	536.00	Recreation
Assunta Ege	74.99	Ballot Clerk
Sandra Ellis	74.99	Ballot Clerk
Linda Ferrini	12,069.00	Dispatch
Elizabeth Gallison	6,102.26	Dispatch
James A. Gatcomb	16,866.60	Police
Richard Gendron	20,101.50	Police
Glenn Goldthwaite	114.80	Recreation
Pauline Gordon	575.49	Dispatch/Ballot Clerk
Gordon Gould	21,289.84	Fire Chief
Iber H. Gove	100.00	Trustee of Trust Funds
Phyllis A. Gove	1,200.00	Treasurer
Catherine Grant	5,583.11	Administrator's Assistant
Micol Greenwood	429.00	Maintenance
Richard Greenwood	597.50	Maintenance
Wilfred Greenwood	1,642.20	Landfill
Shawn Griffin	2,347.90	Recreation
Kevin Hammond	22,362.33	Maintenance/Dump

Dana R. Kingston	24,269.96	TOE
Gloria M. Lord	3,072.26	Recreation
Marian Lovejoy	15,129.68	Dispatch/Ballot Clerk
Robert W. McMullen	939.77	Police
Richard J. Mailhot	15,465.75	Health/Building Inspector
John Markiewicz, Jr.	75.00	Cemetery
Edward Martini	2,724.75	Dispatch
Stephen Matte	847.50	Police
Johanna Michel	656.60	Recreation
Ruth Michel	1,700.02	Recreation
Dennis Mitchell	1,460.60	Recreation
Richard Nunziato	30.00	Maintenance
Francis O'Brien	50.00	Ballot Clerk
John Ornell	5,560.50	Dogs/THOB
Lawrence Ornell	1,340.00	Police
Sally Paradis	1,500.00	Selectman
Bette Patterson	616.00	Planning Board/Board of Adjustment
Eleanore Rasp	3,448.54	Recreation
Keith Rayeski	15,835.75	Police
Lorraine Reed	300.00	Supervisor of the Checklist
Sally Richard	530.00	Dispatch
Burgess Robinson	3,456.00	Police/Dispatch/Maintenance
Elizabeth Robinson	50.00	Ballot Clerk
Cynthia Ross	300.00	Supervisor of the Checklist
Andrew Rost	171.01	Recreation
Cheryle St. Onge	1,232.00	Recreation
Jodi Scholes	1,030.14	Recreation
Jean Schou	1,455.00	Planning Board
Judith Sherman	66.36	TOE
Ronald Simone	1,250.00	Selectman
Janeece Smathers	340.00	TOS
Debra Smith	10,686.41	TOE
David Turner	12,429.31	Maintenance/Dump
Waldo Twombly	886.00	Maintenance
Chris Wade	721.18	Recreation
Darrin Wason	375.00	Maintenance
Paul Welch	12.00	Maintenance
Michael Williams	276.25	Maintenance
Reginald Winterburn	7,779.88	Police
Harold R. Wood, Jr.	1,500.00	Selectman
Subtotal	\$446,288.20	

RAYMOND WATER DEPARTMENT 1985 PAYROLL

Phyllis Gove	\$ 500.00
Micol Greenwood	1,300.56
Brian Jalbert	27.50
Stephen Lovejoy	1,816.29
Stephen A. Matte	45.00
Burgess Robinson	9,898.27
Judith Sherman	3,271.18
Total	\$16,858.80
GRAND TOTAL	\$463,147.00

Paul Hammond	247.50	Maintenance
Richard Hammond	19,509.37	Maintenance/Dump
Russell Hammond	988.50	Maintenance
Patricia Harmon	224.20	Recreation
Thomas Hayes	1,333.00	Recreation/Election
William Hoitt	364.25	Maintenance/Dump
Richard Holt	4,090.80	Recreation
Bonnie Hoyt	7,650.85	TOS
Brian Jalbert	855.00	Police
Joan King	74.99	Ballot Clerk

SCHEDULE 1
TOWN OF RAYMOND
General Fund
Statement of Estimated and Actual Revenues
For The Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1985

<u>REVENUES</u>	<u>Estimated</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Over (Under) Budget</u>
<u>Taxes</u>			
Property and Inventory	\$3,890,397	\$3,899,399	\$ 9,002
Resident	50,320	57,600	7,280
National Bank Stock	5	5	
Yield	7,400	7,298	(102)
Interest and Penalties On Taxes	100,000	107,163	7,163
Land Use Change Tax	2,500	1,990	(510)
Total Taxes	<u>4,050,622</u>	<u>4,073,455</u>	<u>22,833</u>
<u>Intergovernmental Revenues</u>			
<u>State</u>			
Shared Revenue	84,693	84,693	
Business Profits Tax	159,214	159,214	
Highway Block Grant	75,462	75,462	
<u>Other Reimbursements</u>			
Forest Fires	1,410	1,738	328
Civil Defense	765	768	3
Miscellaneous		90	90
Total Intergovernmental Revenues	<u>321,544</u>	<u>321,965</u>	<u>421</u>
<u>Licenses and Permits</u>			
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	290,000	320,398	30,398
Dog Licenses	3,000	3,943	943
Business Licenses, Permits and Fees	9,600	7,070	(2,530)
Town Clerk Fees	1,500	2,444	944
Total Licenses and Permits	<u>304,100</u>	<u>333,855</u>	<u>29,755</u>
<u>Charges For Services</u>			
Income From Departments	<u>39,758</u>	<u>56,199</u>	<u>16,441</u>
<u>Miscellaneous Revenues</u>			
Interest On Deposits	30,000	36,571	6,571
Sale of Town Property		580	580
Insurance Refunds	3,570	4,298	728
Other Miscellaneous	1,770	6,604	4,834
Total Miscellaneous Revenues	<u>35,340</u>	<u>48,053</u>	<u>12,713</u>

SCHEDULE 1 (Continued)
TOWN OF RAYMOND
General Fund
Statement of Estimated and Actual Revenues
For The Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1985

<u>REVENUES</u>	<u>Estimated</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Over (Under) Budget</u>
<u>Other Financing Sources</u>			
<u>Operating Transfers In</u>			
Trust Fund Income	\$	\$ 4,177	\$ 4,177
Withdrawals From Capital Reserve	50,000	50,000	
Total Other Financing Sources	<u>50,000</u>	<u>54,177</u>	<u>4,177</u>
 <u>Total Revenues</u>	 4,801,364	 \$4,887,704	 \$86,340
 <u>Fund Balance Used To Reduce Tax Rate</u>	 <u>33,172</u>		
 <u>Total Revenues and Use of Fund Balance</u>	 <u>\$4,834,536</u>		

SCHEDULE 2
TOWN OF RAYMOND
General Fund
Statement of Appropriations, Expenditures and Encumbrances
For The Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1985

	Encumbered From 1984	Appropriations 1985
<u>General Government</u>		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$	\$ 37,940
Town Officers' Expenses		83,995
Election and Registration Expenses		1,500
Cemeteries		18,000
General Government Buildings		25,320
Reappraisal of Property		17,000
Planning and Zoning		3,000
Legal Expenses		10,000
Advertising and Regional Association		4,582
Contingency Fund		5,000
FICA, Retirement, & Pension Contributions		39,000
Insurance		57,000
Unemployment Compensation		2,500
Overlay		113,068
Board of Adjustment		1,000
Consultant Service		5,000
Raymond/Chester Line Survey		1,175
Total General Government	<u> </u>	<u>425,080</u>
<u>Public Safety</u>		
Police Department		144,313
Fire Department		57,165
Civil Defense		3,000
Building Inspection/Health Inspection		18,950
Dispatch Center		61,512
Forest Fires		1,000
Hydrant Rental		6,000
Total Public Safety	<u> </u>	<u>291,940</u>
<u>Highways, Streets, Bridges</u>		
Town Maintenance		126,580
General Highway Department Expenses		35,600
Tarring	4,556	59,700
Highway Subsidy		75,000
Street Lighting		44,000
Care of Trees		1,500
Butterfield Lane Drainage		5,500
Total Highways, Streets, Bridges	<u>4,556</u>	<u>347,880</u>
<u>Sanitation</u>		
Solid Waste Disposal	<u> </u>	<u>107,500</u>
<u>Health</u>		
Newmarket Health Center		2,000
Ambulances		10,000
Animal Control		12,980
Seacoast Counseling Center		2,500
Exeter Visiting Nurse Association		8,450
Total Health	<u> </u>	<u>35,930</u>

<u>Expenditures Net of Refunds</u>	<u>Encumbered To 1986</u>	<u>(Over) Under Budget</u>
\$ 36,279	\$	\$ 1,661
85,877		(1,882)
1,558		(58)
4,177		13,823
16,411		8,909
1,871		15,129
8,337		(5,337)
11,634		(1,634)
4,582		
37,289		5,000
60,961		1,711
1,424		(3,961)
15,209		1,076
1,187		97,859
		(187)
	5,000	
	1,175	
<u>286,796</u>	<u>6,175</u>	<u>132,109</u>
143,562		751
51,780		5,385
2,195		805
19,792		(842)
64,684		(3,172)
3,201		(2,201)
6,000		
<u>291,214</u>	<u></u>	<u>726</u>
132,162		(5,582)
33,679		1,921
65,652	4,556	(5,952)
69,800		5,200
19,036		24,964
432		1,068
5,216		284
<u>325,977</u>	<u>4,556</u>	<u>21,903</u>
101,079		6,421
2,000		
10,000		
11,801		1,179
2,500		
8,450		
<u>34,751</u>	<u></u>	<u>1,179</u>

SCHEDULE 2 (Continued)
TOWN OF RAYMOND
General Fund
Statement of Appropriations, Expenditures and Encumbrances
For The Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1985

	Encumbered From 1984	Appropriations 1985
<u>Welfare</u>		
General Assistance	\$	\$ 24,500
Old Age Assistance		17,500
Rockingham County CAP		6,688
Child and Family Services		3,870
Homemaker - Home Health Aide		2,500
Total Welfare		<u>55,058</u>
<u>Culture and Recreation</u>		
Parks and Recreation		58,658
Patriotic Purposes		750
Conservation Commission		300
Total Culture and Recreation		<u>59,708</u>
<u>Debt Service</u>		
Interest Expense - Tax Anticipation Notes		<u>20,000</u>
<u>Capital Outlay</u>		
Onway Lake Road Bridge Project	5,114	
Blueberry Hill Road Bridge Removal	25,000	
Office Equipment		2,500
B & M Right-Of-Way Acquisition		20,000
Total Capital Outlay	<u>30,114</u>	<u>22,500</u>
<u>Operating Transfers Out</u>		
<u>Interfund Transfers</u>		
Library		19,424
Capital Reserve Fund		37,000
<u>Intergovernmental Transfers</u>		
School District Assessment		3,272,037
County Tax Assessment		140,479
Total Operating Transfers Out		<u>3,468,940</u>
<u>Total Appropriations</u>	<u>\$34,670</u>	<u>\$4,834,536</u>

<u>Expenditures Net of Refunds</u>	<u>Encumbered To 1986</u>	<u>(Over) Under Budget</u>
\$ 64,468	\$	(\$ 39,968)
14,771		2,729
6,688		
3,870		
2,500		
<u>92,297</u>	<u> </u>	<u>(37,239)</u>
55,060		3,598
823		(73)
		300
<u>55,883</u>	<u> </u>	<u>3,825</u>
24,364		(4,364)
4,492		622
	25,000	
	2,500	
2,000	18,000	
<u>6,492</u>	<u>45,500</u>	<u>622</u>
19,424		
37,000		
3,272,037		
140,595		(116)
<u>3,469,056</u>	<u> </u>	<u>(116)</u>
\$4,687,909	\$56,231	\$125,066

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AUDITOR'S REPORT ON FINANCIAL PRESENTATION

To the Members of
the Board of Selectmen
Town of Raymond
Raymond, New Hampshire

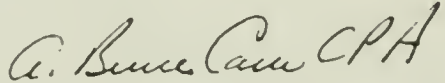
We have examined the combined financial statements and the combining, individual fund and account group financial statements of the Town of Raymond, New Hampshire as of and for the year ended December 31, 1985, as listed in the table of contents. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

As described in Note 1B, the combined financial statements referred to above do not include financial statements of the General Fixed Asset Group of Accounts which should be included to conform with generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, except that omission of the General Fixed Asset Group of Accounts results in an incomplete presentation, as explained in the above paragraph, the combined financial statements and the combining, individual fund and account group financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of the Town of Raymond, New Hampshire at December 31, 1985, and the results of its operations for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Our examination was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the combined financial statements taken as a whole and on the combining, individual fund and account group financial statements. The accompanying financial information listed as supplemental schedules in the table of contents, including the supplemental schedule of Federal assistance, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the combined financial statements of the Town of Raymond, New Hampshire. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the examination of the combined, combining, individual fund and account group financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the combined financial statements taken as a whole.

January 18, 1986


CARRI - PLODZIK - SANDERSON

The balance of the audit for the year ending December 31, 1985 may be reviewed at the Raymond Town Office Building, Selectmen's Office.

REVENUE SHARING ACCOUNT
Year Ending December 31, 1985

Balance January 1, 1985		\$111,718.47
Receipts 1985		
Entitlement Period #16	\$46,135.00	
N.O.W. Account Interest	<u>6,016.22</u>	<u>52,151.22</u>
		\$163,869.69
Disbursements - 1985		
State - Assessing	80,176.90	
Landfill - Prescott Road	<u>4,284.25</u>	<u>84,460.34</u>
Balance December 31, 1985		\$ 79,409.35
Account Payable - Assessing		<u>341.82</u>
Balance		\$ 79,067.53
Reserved for Encumbrances:		
Revaluation (1984)	\$ 2,329.52	
Sanitary Landfill (1984)	4,326.00	
Sanitary Landfill (1985)	15,000.00	
Prescott Road Bridge (1985)	<u>48,000.00</u>	<u>\$ 69,655.51</u>
Balance		\$ 9,412.02
Entitlements to be received in 1986: (Estimated)		
January	\$10,970.00	
April	10,970.00	
July	10,970.00	
October	<u>10,970.00</u>	
Total Entitlements		<u>\$ 43,880.00</u>
GRAND TOTAL		\$ 53,292.02

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF RAYMOND, NH
For the year ending December 31, 1985

DATE	GROOM & BRIDE	RESIDENCE			
			June		
January			1	Brad C. Forsing	Raymond, NH
5	Robert Gerston Patricia A. Carney	Amherst, NH Raymond, NH		Lauri Ann M. Richardson	Deerfield, NH
			1	Daniel P. Bushey	Raymond, NH
12	Jonathan W. Roberts Lynne M. Staley	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH		Paula B. Nason	Raymond, NH
			6	Bartley B. Peterson	Raymond, NH
19	Francis L. Sellars Gretchen Gott-Payer	Palmer, MA Raymond, NH		Dorothy J. Hirst	Raymond, NH
			8	Robert J. Casoni	Alton, NH
19	John T. Shook Mary M. Maloney	Lodi, NJ Lodi, NJ		Sally A. Thresher	Raymond, NH
			8	Mark C. Vincent	Raymond, NH
28	John R. Bouchard Sherri Hutchins	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH		Joan Hagen	Raymond, NH
			8	Russell P. Tuller	Rowe, MA
February				Louise B. Foote	Raymond, NH
9	Garff K. Maltby Sabrina L. Brown	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	15	James E. Hicks	Raymond, NH
				Veronica M. Sargent	Raymond, NH
14	Stephen M. Kuchtey, Jr. Lisa M. Wiggin	Hampton Falls, NH Raymond, NH	29	Kent T. Clock	Raymond, NH
				Janet M. King	Raymond, NH
16	Chester L. Robbins, Jr. Eleanor J. McCullough	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	3	Roger D. Lewis	Lee, NH
				Melissa M. Henderson	Raymond, NH
23	Albert W. Young, Jr. Kathi J. Menard	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	July		
			4	Michael E. Ingraham	Raymond, NH
March				Christine L. Gagnon	Raymond, NH
1	Eugene L. Paradis Tammy M. Lannon	Raymond, NH Alexandria, VA	6	James R. Plourde	Raymond, NH
				Nancy E. Dudley	Raymond, NH
9	Michael S. Iula Marsha Graves	Raymond, NH Exeter, NH	6	John J. Bisson	Lynn, MA
				Kim M. Greene	Lynn, MA
13	David A. Lemieux Dalayna S. Morley	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	6	Lance R. Taggersell	Raymond, NH
				Anita J. Stevens	Raymond, NH
April			6	Paul Walmsley	Raymond, NH
20	Michael E. Adams Sharon G. Carney	Milford, NH Raymond, NH		Donna E. Lessard	Raymond, NH
			12	Mark M. Glasgow	Raymond, NH
20	Donald O. St. John, Sr. Paula L. Cole	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH		Patricia L. Bell	Medford, MA
			20	Jeffrey L. Stilkey	Raymond, NH
27	Ellery W. Cox Helen L. Lamarre	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH		Debbi M. Dennis	Nottingham, NH
			27	Ronald A. Perrault	Raymond, NH
May				Susan L. Martin	Raymond, NH
4	David Swinerton Karen Moreau	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	July		
			27	John F. Richard, Jr.	Raymond, NH
4	Michael Czeremin Angela M. Marcotti	Raymond, NH Derry, NH		Cheryl L. Gould	Raymond, NH
			27	Ronald J. Vinnacombe, Jr.	Raymond, NH
5	Mark E. Walch Sandra L. Bassett	Manchester, NH Raymond, NH		Delcia M. Grenier	Raymond, NH
			27	Paul R. Lamarre	Raymond, NH
12	Reginald G. Walker, III Brenda L. Williams	Lyndeborough, NH Raymond, NH		Marilyn A. Bezanson	Raymond, NH
			27	Ralph W. Whalen	Marlboro, MA
18	Jeffrey B. Littlefield Jennifer L. Comeau	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH		Susan D. Hunter	Raymond, NH
			August		
25	Richard A. Blake Linda A. Atkinson	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	3	Roger J. Baril, Jr.	Manchester, NH
				Michelle M. Menard	Raymond, NH
25	Dane R. Greenwood Tracy A. Balamotis	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH			

3	Paul J. Smith Gabrielle A. Barone	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	27	Paul D. Bederian Janice M. Baker	Warrensburg, NY Warrensburg, NY
3	Kevin B. Gilman Jan Hetu	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	November 2	Philip G. Farrar Donna J. Lang	Raymond, NH Hampton, NH
12	Scott H. Sweeney Line R. Mailloux	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	16	Robert Gallagher Tina Gordon	Raymond, NH Candia, NH
14	Delbert A. Witham Misty M. Perez	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	16	Raymond Blake, Jr. Billie-Jo Emery	Nottingham, NH Raymond, NH
21	Raymond L. Goodyear, Jr. Alice M. LeBreux	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	22	Thomas M. Holloran Felice M. Andrus	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH
24	Kenneth N. Jackson Cheryl A. DeVeau	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	23	Gilles P. Lamontagne Kathleen Courtemanche	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH
24	Jack Stilkey, Jr. Angela M. Richard	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	23	John Monteiro Christine A. Benedetti	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH
25	Quinn R. Golden Vivian L. Prichard	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	28	Andrew D. Woods Keiko Hidaka	Beverly, MA Beverly, MA
27	Delmar D. Dudley Marie L. Gagne	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	28	Russell W. Manter Molly J. Goldzung	Seabrook, NH Raymond, NH
30	Robert A. McLaughlin Sharon J. Mead	Candia, NH Raymond, NH	30	Brian F. Carroll Elaine M. Post	Milton, NH Raymond, NH
31	Ronald O. Johnson Virginia Linehan	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	December 7	Edward A. Currier Leslie A. Glass	E. Kingston, NH Raymond, NH
3	Jesse J. Higgins Pamela J. Klaxton	Candia, NH Raymond, NH	8	Robert H. Banarer Gail A. Flick	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH
September 7	Joseph R. Balestra Alison Gould	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	14	Wayne T. Martell Joyce A. O'Dell	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH
7	Donald Allen Fortier, Jr. Sandra Lynn Catton	Raymond, NH Derry, NH	17	Terry A. Dotson Rose A. Saunders	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH
9	Clarence M. Wentworth Priscilla M. White	Raymond, NH Derry, NH	24	Glenn S. Robertson Cheryl A. Thompson	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH
14	Richard R. Duquette Brenda J. Lieber	Raymond, NH E. Hampstead, NH	28	Clifford Taylor Karen M. Fitzpatrick	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH
21	Richard A. Falk Jacqueline B. Veilleux	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH	14	Richard T. Thomas Patricia L. Urevith	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH
21	Everett E. Wilbur Janet L. Wilbur	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH			
28	Kevin E. Smith Sandra L. Light	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH			
28	Robert J. Casoni, Jr. Cheryl L. Button	Raymond, NH Chester, NH			
28	Barry D. Grecoë, Jr. Diana L. Furbee	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH			
October 6	Duayne F. Hayes Betty A. Spencer	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH			
12	Jeffrey A. Martell Lisa M. Sharon	Raymond, NH Charlestown, NH			
19	Charles D. Perkins Debra A. Jutras	Raymond, NH Raymond, NH			
20	Jed W. Brewer Deborah L. George	Candia, NH Raymond, NH			

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF RAYMOND, NH
For the year ending December 31, 1985

DATE	CHILD'S NAME	NAME OF MOTHER	NAME OF FATHER	PLACE OF BIRTH
January				
2	Mia Rose Bowden	Clara Alvarez	Michael Bowden	Raymond, NH
9	Kristen Marie Sherry	Beth Armstrong	Regis Sherry	Manchester, NH
10	Jacquelyn Laroche	Deborah MacDonald	Joseph Laroche	Manchester, NH
24	Kevin Leigh Hafford	MonaLisa Eaton	Michael Hafford	Manchester, NH
29	Katie Johanna Melanson	Christine Lund	Orman Melanson	Manchester, NH
30	Benjamin David Mishio	Lisa Roberson	David Mishio	Exeter, NH
February				
10	Audiva Lynn Bateman	Lynn Bachand	David Bateman	Exeter, NH
11	Joshua Scott Cogswell Mann	Pamela Rogers	Scott Mann	Exeter, NH
13	Crystal Michelle Benedict	Anna Bowden	Clyde Benedict	Manchester, NH
14	Jessica Nadine Pomerleau	patricia Grigola	Russell Pomerleau	Lawrence, MA
14	Stephanie Rachael Szczepanik	Kathleen Webster	Edward Szczepanik	Manchester, NH
18	Breigh Nicole Santilli	Christine Fluck	Anthony Santilli	Exeter, NH
19	Jillian Marie Volk	Nancy Brind'Amour	Samuel Volk	Exeter, NH
22	Jacob Edward Purcell	Jean Farrington	Edward Purcell	Nashua, NH
22	Ann Curran	Wendy Johnson	Lawrence Curran	Manchester, NH
22	Megan Elizabeth Robinson	Lee Stevenson	William Robinson, Jr.	Exeter, NH
24	Brett Preston Wamboldt	Deborah Johnson	Ronald Wamboldt	Stoneham, MA
25	Adam Papineau	Laura Nickerson	Thomas Papineau	Nashua, NH
March				
6	Patrick George Hureau	Robin Ray	George Hureau	Concord, NH
11	Stephanie Helen Birnstihl	Diane Rossi	Paul Birnstihl	Concord, NH
14	Alex Anthony DiGiacinto	Marygrace Roberts	Thomas DiGiacinto	Manchester, NH
16	Lisa Marie Welch	Sherrie Merrill	Thomas Welch, Sr.	Manchester, NH
20	Daysha Ann Oliver	Robin Fraser	David Oliver	Exeter, NH
27	Jon-Michael Timothy Lamonda	Joyce Fisher	Jack Lamonda	Manchester, NH
31	Drusilla Victoria Bernard	Veronica Lord	Stephen Bernard	Exeter, NH
April				
4	Eric Scott Lindsey	Gloria Ritchie	Robert Lindsey	Exeter, NH
4	Evangelina-Star Marie Poole	Janice Willand	Kenneth Poole	Manchester, NH
11	Sonya Marie Fugere	Virginia Chapman	Michael Fugere	Portsmouth, NH
16	Justin Taylor West	Joan Scanlon	Richard West	Portsmouth, NH
20	LeighAnn Michele Soucy	Diane Pinsonneault	Robert Soucy	Manchester, NH
21	Mark Andrew Richardson	Carol Mercon	Bryan Richardson	Manchester, NH
21	Michael Jerome Zimmer	Linda Campbell	Jerome Zimmer	Exeter, NH
26	Kyle Bailey Flower	Kathleen Bailey	Bruce Flower	Portsmouth, NH
May				
9	Michael Anthony P. Monopoli	Carolann Gerrior	Michael Monopoli	Manchester, NH
9	Nicole Elizabeth Bouchard	Sherri Hutchins	John Bouchard	Exeter, NH
10	Joseph Charles DelTufo, III	Catherine Perkins	Joseph DelTufo, Jr.	Manchester, NH
12	Richard Bradley Moulton, Jr.	Patricia Gagne	Richard Moulton, Sr.	Manchester, NH
13	Malorie Bragdon Powers	Marcia Bragdon	Dana Powers	Manchester, NH
25	Kassandra Lynn Jobin	Robyn Wells	David Jobin	Manchester, NH
26	Scott Arron Currier	Annmarie Baker	Richard Currier	Manchester, NH
28	Derek Michael Cowan	Debra Roy	Peter Cowan	Manchester, NH
31	Sampson Buckley Raine	Mary Buckley	Albert Raine, III	Raymond, NH
June				
1	Amanda Lee Desjardins	Alice Stickney	Robert Desjardins	Concord, NH
4	Adam James Reber	Mary Edgerly	Jase Reber	Portsmouth, NH
10	Amanda Lee Robinson	Lisa Lessard	George Robinson, III	Manchester, NH
12	Kelley-Jo Scanlon	Michelle Hewes	Edward Scanlon	Portsmouth, NH
12	Alyssa Yvonne Lanseigne	Kathryn Ames	Albert Lanseigne	Exeter, NH
16	Joseph Michael Woods, Jr.	Carolyn Beachey	Joseph Woods, Sr.	Manchester, NH
16	Christopher Robert Aird	Rose Desruisseaux	David Aird	Manchester, NH
17	Raymond William Langevin	Irene Belland	Raymond Langevin	Manchester, NH
26	Kellie Anne Welch	Cynthia Gaffney	Russell Welch	Exeter, NH

July				
1	Joan Marie Webster	Eleanor MacFadden	Charles Webster	Manchester, NH
2	Scott Richard Glynn	Yun Cha Pak	Stephen Glynn	Exeter, NH
2	Jeremy Michael Troy	Lynda Helms	Charles Troy	Manchester, NH
5	Colleen Ashton Merlino	Robin Loderhose	Aldo Merlino	Manchester, NH
6	Kevin Michael Childs	Cathy Warriner	Edward Childs	Manchester, NH
7	Ryan John Fredette	Patrice Polinski	John Fredette	Manchester, NH
15	Joshua Walter Piotrowski	Theresa Laliberte	Thomas Piotrowski	Manchester, NH
17	Jay Pero Demeritt	Sylvia Pero	Dennis Demeritt	Concord, NH
22	Sara Lynn Lagasse	Ann Stachokas	Mark Lagasse	Manchester, NH
23	Tanya Kaye Levesque	Cheryl Worster	Richard Levesque	Manchester, NH
25	Erin Ross Doherty	Donna Allard	David Doherty	Manchester, NH
27	Keith Victor Mazalewski	Darlene Lajoie	Walter Mazalewski	Manchester, NH
31	Shannon Christina Parnell	Sheryl Simpson	Kenneth Parnell	Manchester, NH
August				
1	Christopher Peter Cross	Linda Richards	Francis Cross	Rochester, NH
4	Shawn Russell Demers	Pauline Gosbee	Kevin Demers	Beverly, MA
9	Kurt William Rodman	Anne Powers	Richard Rodman	Manchester, NH
14	April Rose Zwearcan	Debra Crowley	William Zwearcan	Exeter, NH
15	Austin Stephen Roberts	Lynne Staley	Jonathan Roberts	Manchester, NH
21	Jillian Lorraine Michaud	Jarda Belmonte	Ralph Michaud	Exeter, NH
26	Jeremy Michael O'Donnell	Lisa Victoria	Patrick O'Donnell	Manchester, NH
September				
2	Audrey Kaitlin Norris	Debra Donahue	Gary Norris	Manchester, NH
5	Joseph Allen Boyer	Carol Albright	Michael Boyer	Manchester, NH
10	Alice Elizabeth Sheehan	Judy Christiansen	Daniel Sheehan	Portsmouth, NH
12	James Izeah Buzzard	Jacqueline Noyes	Phillip Buzzard	Exeter, NH
15	Nicole Rae Letendre	Rose Kodesh	John Letendre	Manchester, NH
17	Nathan Alan Piercey	Linda Raymond	Ronald Piercey	Exeter, NH
20	Jessica Ellen Petroski	Tammy Albin	Mark Petroski	Manchester, NH
23	Ashley Elizabeth Priebe	Dorinda Creighton	David Priebe	Manchester, NH
28	Sheila Ann Guyette	Holly Kelley	Willis Guyette	Exeter, NH
October				
3	Tyler Robert Morin	Diane St. Onge	Gerard Morin	Manchester, NH
5	Amy Elizabeth Maurer	Barbara Pinto	Anthony Maurer	Exeter, NH
12	Danae Ann Greenwood	Tracy Balamotis	Dane Greenwood	Manchester, NH
18	Stacy Ann Shepp	Genevieve Murphy	Richard Shepp, II	Manchester, NH
20	Siobhan Louisa Morrison	Karen Peterson	Dyke Morrison	Manchester, NH
21	John Francis Morrow	Roxanne DeFeo	Michael Morrow	Haverhill, MA
22	Jennifer Ryan Ross	Mary Latour	Martin Ross, Jr.	Exeter, NH
24	Chaz Derek Mitchell	Shelley Prince	Charles Mitchell	Exeter, NH
28	Justin Earle William Gitschier	Deborah Seaman	Gerald Gitschier	Exeter, NH
31	Kathryn Elizabeth Palmer	Sarah Davidson	Brian Palmer	Exeter, NH
November				
4	Jessica Ann Dodier	Alicia Kors	Raymond Dodier	Manchester, NH
8	Gina Ann Paradis	Tammy Lannon	Eugene Paradis	Portsmouth, NH
18	Paul Anthony Consalvo	Sandra Katz	Paul Consalvo	Stoneham, MA
25	Shauna Mullen Mahoney	Frances Twyman	Thomas Mahoney	Exeter, NH
26	Nikolas Kimball Bassett	Lori Gorton	Fred Bassett	Exeter, NH
28	Kristopher Allen Blake	Linda Atkinson	Richard Blake	Exeter, NH
December				
3	Michael Wayne Austin, Jr.	Linda Baillie	Michael Austin	Manchester, NH
10	Joshua Jenesis Young	Kathi Richardson	Albert Young	Manchester, NH
14	Shawn Richard McLaughlin	Mary Graves	Richard McLaughlin	Exeter, NH
17	Nathan Michael Stiling	Nancy Kozlowski	Michael Stiling	Manchester, NH
19	Karyn Mae LeBrun	Janice Kenaston	Arthur LeBrun	Stoneham, MA
19	Jordan Taylor Vaughn	Janice Starzmann	Kenward Vaughn	Manchester, NH
21	Bianca Lucie Halle	Lucie Dagesse	Jeffrey Halle	Manchester, NH
29	Heather Ann Morton	Kim Molway	Leonard Morton	Winchester, MA
29	William Henry Broach	Holly Hughes	William Broach	Portsmouth, NH
31	Mark Jerome William	Joan Crowley	Mark Williams	Danvers, MA

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF RAYMOND, NH
For the Year Ending December 31, 1985

DATE	NAME OF DECEASED	PLACE OF DEATH	FATHER'S NAME	MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME
January				
7	Natalie S. Healey	Exeter, NH	George Robertson	Lucy Shattuck
13	Elizabeth C. Smith	Exeter, NH	Scott Johnson	Winifred Ryan
14	Gordon A. Cammett, Sr.	Manchester, NH	—	Glenna —
19	George J. Lecaroz	Manchester, NH	George Lecaroz	Marion LeBlanc
27	Dennis D. Glidden	Raymond, NH	Dwight Glidden, Jr.	Florence Launier
29	Dorothy E. Clark	Exeter, NH	Joseph Jackson	Catherine McDonald
29	Theodore Adler	Exeter, NH	Paul Adler	Johanne Indinger
29	Paul F. Beachey	Manchester, NH	John Beachey	Aurelia Morningstar
30	Mary A. Reed	Brentwood, NH	Joseph Marshall	Rose Blinn
February				
21	Oliver J. Roberts	Brentwood, NH	Frank Roberts	Emma —
March				
4	Edith J. Emery	Raymond, NH	William Wason	Eva Martin
5	Hilda E. Vandewalle	Derry, NH	— Eaton	Jane —
April				
2	Daniel Dennehy	Manchester, NH	Daniel Dennehy	Elizabeth Brennan
3	Irene E. Stacy	Manchester, NH	Michael Kelly	Ellen Keane
5	Lucy Clifford	Brentwood, NH	Oliver Wass	Elizabeth Ainscough
7	Willis J. Audette	Manchester, NH	Willis Audette	Elizabeth Brouillette
23	Joseph Szybiak	Exeter, NH	Andrew Szybiak	Anna Pakos
May				
1	Arthur M. Sargent	Manchester, NH	John Sargent	Abbie Chase
8	Virginia P. Pierce	Concord, NH	Henry Thompson	Bessie Nickerson
11	Glenna F. Clarke	Brentwood, NH	Harry Weade	Etta Burt
23	Rodney L. Hardy	Manchester, NH	Henry Hardy	Lilla Heath
30	Mikolaj Marchwicz	Manchester, NH	— Marchwicz	—
June				
9	Frances A. Crowley	Brentwood, NH	Thomas Kain	Delia Cooke
16	Mary M. Snow	Exeter, NH	Neil McKinnon	Margaret McNeil
20	Lee B. Moulton	Raymond, NH	Walter Moulton	Helen Luther
30	Herman E. Wallace	Raymond, NH	Edward Wallace	Florence Young
July				
7	Ruth Cote	Exeter, NH	Ezra Downing	Velma Smith
27	Edward Saulnier	Raymond, NH	Louis Saulnier	Eva —
August				
11	Jacqueline R. Porter	Raymond, NH	Aldage Hamel	Lillian Hebert
26	Evelyn E. Greenquist	Brentwood, NH	John M. Potts	Isabelle Finnie
30	Michelle M. Labbe	Raymond, NH	Patrick Labbe	Marie Boucher
October				
2	Lewis E. Whippie	Exeter, NH	Clarence Whippie	Maud Janvrin
9	Charles M. McKinney	Raymond, NH	Martin McKinney	Amelia Lawrence
19	Gretchen I. Copp	Raymond, NH	John Selvey	Edna Hill
22	Susan E. Brown	Raymond, NH	Charles Jones	Frances —
26	Eugene R. Newcomb	Raymond, NH	Eugene R. Newcomb	Tressie Buswell
31	James Villemaire	Concord, NH	William Villemaire	Marie Seavey
November				
4	John H. Matthews	Exeter, NH	James Matthews	Florabelle Peach
9	Eileen A. Trussell	Exeter, NH	Thomas Condon	Ann Murphy
16	Marion G. Welch	Brentwood, NH	George Mills	Margaret Cowan
20	Thomas H. Graves, Sr.	Nashua, NH	John Graves	Ethel Bliss
27	Florence R. Moulton	Exeter, NH	Josiah Spaulding	Laura Ruee



In Appreciation

Our community is served each and every day by countless individuals who, by reason of their good nature and character, enjoy serving others. One such individual is John Ornell.

Most of us are acquainted with his distinguished service as a member of the Raymond School Board for fifteen years, and as a member of the Municipal Budget Committee for seven years. More recently upon his retirement from "Ma Bell" he took on the job of animal control officer, certainly under the best of circumstances, a thankless job. This record of community service in itself is certainly worthy of recognition. Perhaps, though, it is the compassion and kindness John has exhibited in actively helping those in need that places him in a class far above the ordinary.

John for health reasons has resigned from his public duties. We wish him improved health and many more years ahead. A man of principle, and a gentleman always, he will be missed.

OFFICERS OF THE RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT
For the 1985-86 School Year

MODERATOR

J. Chandler Newton

CLERK

Linda J. Hoelzel

TREASURER

Mildred Guptill

SCHOOL BOARD

Maurice E. Demeritt, Jr., Chairperson	Term Expires 1986
Ronald Chapman	Term Expires 1988
Sandra L. Ellis	Term Expires 1987
Kathleen M. Hoelzel	Term Expires 1986
Elizabeth O'Donnell	Term Expires 1988

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

David R. Cawley

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENTS OF SCHOOLS

Carl R. Batchelder
Kenneth Severson

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Anita Lambert

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

School Administrative Unit #15
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RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

March 9, 1985

The Raymond School District Meeting was called to order at 3:30 p.m. in the Raymond Community Gymnasium by the moderator, J. Chandler Newton. The moderator read the School District Warrant.

The moderator declared the meeting in recess at 3:31 p.m. so that the people standing in line could get their voting cards.

The moderator called the meeting back to order at 4:03 p.m.

The Reverend Neil Iverson offered the prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all those attending.

Method of Voting: Articles that were not voted upon by secret ballot were voted upon by raising "yellow" colored voting cards with the letter "B" printed on them; or "gold" colored voting cards with the letter "I" printed on them, unless declared otherwise by the moderator. The moderator stated that a secret ballot could be requested by any five (5) registered voters prior to a vote or seven (7) registered voters who will stand and request a secret ballot if they dispute the vote.

School district voters received their voting cards from the ballot clerks after stating their name to the ballot clerk and being checked off on the check list.

The moderator stated that non-voters and any overflow of voters from the gymnasium should go to the school cafeteria, where a mike system was set up.

BALLOT CLERKS:

Assunta Ege	Elizabeth Robinson
Pauline Gordon	Francis Carlberg
Kathy Kingston	Frances O'Brien
Margaret Case	Marion Lovejoy

The moderator declared Warren Clifford and Edward Thompson to be assistant moderators for the meeting.

A different procedure is to be used at today's meeting. During the bond issue vote the assistant moderator will call the voters row by row so the meeting can continue while people are voting.

The moderator stated that Bradley's Simplified Rules of Order would be used to conduct the meeting.

At this time the moderator introduced the School Board Officials, the Budget Committee,

Officials from the Superintendent's Office, the School District Clerk, the School District legal counsel, the architect and the Building Committee.

Mr. Newton asked that those present please hold their questions until the building committee gave their presentation.

Article 1

Motion: By Timothy Louis, duly seconded by Robert Carlberg that the district appropriate the sum of Five Million Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$5,950,000.00) for acquiring land and for the construction of a new high school and for the purchase of equipment of a lasting character in connection therewith; that to raise this appropriation, the school board is authorized to borrow Five Million Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$5,950,000.00) under the Municipal Finance Act; and that the school board is authorized to take all other action necessary to carry out the project.

At this time, the moderator recognized Marion Lovejoy who gave a history of the school project.

Delmar Anderson was recognized to talk about school needs.

Roger Woodhead spoke on costs.

Henry Dubois, the high school principal, talked about curriculum.

Maurice Demeritt was recognized to speak in alternatives.

Steven Sloan was recognized to speak on the anticipated growth of schools in town.

Architect Frank Maranais spoke on the proposal.

The moderator then opened the floor for general discussion.

During the discussion on the floor, one of speakers from the audience would not relinquish the microphone to another speaker. The moderator, asked the speaker, Edward Fahey, to please let the next person speak. When Mr. Fahey became abusive, the moderator asked that he be taken from the meeting. After the removal of Mr. Fahey, the meeting continued.

There was more general discussion from the floor.

Motion: By Thomas Chippinola, duly seconded by Dennis Lorti to move the question.

Voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

The ballot box was opened for inspection by the assistant moderator, Edward Thompson, and declared empty.

The moderator stated we would be voting on a white secret yes or no bond issue ballot.

The polls were declared open at 5:56 p.m. The polls would remain open until 7:30 p.m. when the vote would be counted.

The polls for the bond issue were declared closed at 7:33 p.m.

The moderator stated that a bond issue must pass by two-thirds of the total vote.

Total Votes Cast:	635
Yes	411
No	223
Blank	1

Total votes needed for Article 1 to pass was 425.

Article 1 voted in the NEGATIVE.

Motion: By Kathleen Hoelzel, duly seconded by Judy Sloan that the district reconsider Article 1 of the 1985 Annual School District Meeting Warrant at a recessed meeting to be held in the Raymond High School Gymnasium on March 30, 1985, at 7:30 p.m.

A motion was then made by James Demeritt, duly seconded by Chris Reese to amend the above motion to read as follows:

That the district reconsider Article 1 of the 1985 Annual School District Meeting Warrant at a recessed meeting to be held at the Raymond High School Gymnasium on March 30, 1985, at 3:00 p.m.

A point of order was made by Mark Eicher that you cannot amend a motion to reconsider.

At this time, Supervisor of the Checklist, Cynthia Ross, stated that on March 30, 1985, the three (3) Supervisors of the Checklist would not be present and that you could not appoint

three (3) Pro-Tem Supervisors of the Checklist.

The moderator then declared a recess for ten (10) minutes to come up with a time agreeable to all for a recessed meeting.

The moderator declared a recess at 3:02 p.m.

The meeting was called back to order at 3:16 p.m.

Motion: By Kathleen Hoelzel, duly seconded by James Demeritt, that the District reconsider Article 1 of the 1985 Annual School District Meeting Warrant at a recessed meeting to be held at the Raymond High School Gymnasium on March 23, 1985, at 3:00 p.m. with Article 8 being contingent upon the passage of Article 1 at the March 23, 1985, recessed meeting.

Voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 2

Motion: By Ronald Chapman, duly seconded by Kathleen Hoelzel that the report of the Auditors for the Raymond School District be accepted and placed on file.

Voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 3

Motion: By Sandra Ellis, duly seconded by Ronald Chapman that the school district authorize the school board to apply for, accept and expend, without further action by the school district meeting, money from the State, Federal or other governmental unit or a private source which becomes available during the 1985-1986 school fiscal year provided that such expenditures not require the expenditure of other school district funds. Further, that the school board hold a public hearing prior to accepting and spending such money.

Voted on by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 4

Motion: By Maurice Demeritt, duly seconded by Sandra Ellis that the district authorize the withdrawal of and expenditure of Twelve Thousand dollars (\$12,000.00) from the capital reserve fund for the purpose of paying architectural and consulting fees incurred by the district in connection with securing plans for the construction of a new high school, said expenditures to be made in the 1984-1985 year.

A motion was made by Maurice Demeritt, duly seconded by Sandra Ellis to amend Article 4 to read as follows:

AMENDMENT: That the district authorize the withdrawal of and expenditure of Ten Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$10,485.00) from the capital reserve fund for the purpose of paying architectural and consulting fees incurred by the district in connection with securing plans for the construction of a new high school, said expenditure to be made in the 1984-1985 fiscal year.

Voted by a show of cards.

Amended Article 4 voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 5

Motion: By Kathleen Hoelzel, duly seconded by Hughin Holt that the district raise and appropriate Fifteen Thousand, Six Hundred Sixty-Three Dollars (\$15,663.00) to reimburse the Exeter School District for unreimbursed costs incurred in providing vocational education to Raymond students in the 1982-1983 and 1983-1984 school years.

Voted by a show of cards.

Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 6

Motion: By Iber Gove, duly seconded by Sandra Ellis that the school district authorize the School Board and/or the Raymond Scholarship Committee to accept funds to be used as scholarships for Raymond students.

A motion was made by John Schou, duly seconded by Sandra Ellis to amend Article 6 to read as follows:

AMENDMENT: That the district authorize the School Board and/or the Raymond Scholarship Committee to accept and expend funds to be used as scholarships for Raymond students.

Amendment voted by a show of cards.
Amendment voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Motion: By Sally Paradis, duly seconded by James Demeritt to amend Article 6 to read as follows:

AMENDMENT: That the district vote to accept scholarship funds presently held by the Trustee of Trust Funds and the School Board; and the Raymond Scholarship Committee be authorized to expend funds to be used as scholarships for Raymond students.

Amendment voted by a show of cards.
Amendment voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Amended Article 6 voted by a show of cards.
Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 7

Motion: By Ronald Chapman, duly seconded by Kathleen Hoelzel that the school district accept and expend up to \$10,000.00 (Ten Thousand Dollars) for federal programs such as ECIA Block Grants, Energy Conservation Grants, and other miscellaneous programs; with the amounts set forth for each program estimated so that the amounts for any one program may be overexpended so long as the total amount for all programs does not exceed \$10,000.00 (Ten Thousand Dollars).

Voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

The moderator declared a recess at 6:24 p.m.

The moderator reconvened the meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Motion: By Kathleen Hoelzel, duly seconded by Hughin Holt to postpone Article 8 until the results of Article 1 were in.

Voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 9

Motion: By Sandra Ellis, duly seconded by Hughin Holt that the Raymond School District choose one(1) Raymond voter to serve as a member of the Raymond Staff Development Committee for a two (2) year term.

Motion: By Sandra Ellis, duly seconded by Hughin Holt to nominate Pauline Gordon to serve as a member of the Raymond Staff Development Committee for two (2) years.

Motion: By Sandra Ellis, duly seconded by Hughin Holt that the nominations be closed.

Above motions voted by a show of cards.

Above motions voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 10

Motion: By Kathleen Hoelzel, duly seconded by Sandra Ellis that the district raise and appropriate \$88,218.00 as a supplemental appropriation for the 1984-1985 school fiscal year, such appropriation being made necessary by the expected overexpenditure of \$72,502.00 in the special education account and the overexpenditure of \$15,716.00 in the transportation account. (The State Board of Education, on December 12, 1984, approved the expenditure of \$88,218.00 as an emergency expenditure under the provisions of RSA 32:10-a.)

Motion: By Kathleen Hoelzel, duly seconded by Ronald Simone to amend Article 10 to read as follows:

AMENDMENT: That the district raise and appropriate \$59,251.00 as a supplemental appropriation for the 1984-1985 school fiscal year, such appropriation being made necessary by the expected overexpenditure of \$43,535.00 in the special education account and the overexpenditure of \$15,716.00 in the transportation account.

Amendment voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Amended Article 10 voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 11

Motion: By Hughin Holt, duly seconded by Kathleen Hoelzel that the district raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 (Five Thousand Dollars) for additional clerical time, answering machines, telephone service and related items to implement a system of parent call-in and school call-back regarding student absenteeism as strongly recommended by the New Hampshire State Board of Education.

Motion: By Sally Paradis, duly seconded by James Demeritt to amend Article 11 to read: That the district raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 (One Thousand Dollars) for additional clerical time, answering machines, telephone service and related items to implement a system of parent call-in and school call-back regarding student absenteeism as recommended by the New Hampshire State Board of Education.

Amended Article 11 voted in the AFFIRMATIVE by a show of cards.

Article 11 voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 12

Motion: By Maurice Demeritt, duly seconded by Kathleen Hoelzel that the district raise and appropriate Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) as a contingency fund, to meet the cost of unanticipated expenses, all in accordance with RSA 198:4-b. Further, that any surplus in this account at the close of fiscal year be transferred to the capital reserve fund for renovation of existing buildings and the construction of additional school buildings and for the cost of such renovations and construction.

Article 12 voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 13

Motion: By Hughin Holt, duly seconded by Kathleen Hoelzel that the district raise and appropriate \$61,561.00 as a supplemental appropriation for the 1984-1985 school fiscal year, such sum of money to be used to pay obligations incurred in the making of renovations and additions to the Raymond schools.

Article 13 voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

At this time we went back to Article 8.

Motion: By Maurice Demeritt, duly seconded by Sandra Ellis that the district raise and appropriate \$310,540.00 for tuitioning Raymond High School students out-of-district commencing with 9th grade in 1985-1986 school year, progressing by grade yearly so that the tuitioning of all high school students will be accomplished by the 1988-1989 school year, and to authorize the school board to enter into an appropriate contract or contracts with other school districts to implement the tuitioning of all such high school students.

AMENDMENT: Motion by Maurice Demeritt, duly seconded by Judy that if Article 1 is adopted at the recessed meeting then any appropriation made hereunder shall be null and void.

Amended Article 8 voted by a counted show of cards.

Yes: 90 No: 104

Amended Article 8 voted in the NEGATIVE.

Article 14

Motion: By Maurice Demeritt, duly seconded by Sandra Ellis that the district raise and appropriate the sum of \$113,790.00 to fund the cost items related to an increase in salaries and benefits for the 1985-1986 school fiscal year; such sum of money attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those obligations payable under the first year of the Collective Bargaining Agreement, this being the second year of a three year contract.

Voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 15

Motion: By Maurice Demeritt, duly seconded by Kathleen Hoelzel that the school district raise and appropriate Four Million, Fifty-Two Thousand, Eight Hundred Thirty-One Dollars (\$4,052,831.00) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries and benefits for school district officials and agents other than benefits and salary increases to teachers; and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the school district.

Motion: By Josiah Gordon, duly seconded by Dwight Glidden to postpone Article 15 until the recessed meeting of March 23, 1985.

Voted by a show of cards. Voted in the NEGATIVE.

The school board at this time was trying to come up with an amended figure amount for Article 15 as Article 1 did not pass.

Motion: By Dwight Glidden that this meeting be postponed until the meeting of March 23, 1985.

The moderator stated that this motion was out-of-order. He would not accept that motion as we had just voted on that same motion and it was struck down.

At this time the moderator declared a recess for ten (10) minutes so that the school board could come up with a corrected budget amount. A recess was declared at 9:30 p.m.

The meeting was called back to order at 9:40 p.m.

Motion: By Maurice Demeritt, duly seconded Kathleen Hoelzel to amend Article 15 to read as follows:

AMENDMENT: That the school district raise and appropriate Three Million, Seven Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand, Three Hundred Thirty-One Dollars (\$3,755,331.00) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries and benefits for school district officials and

agents other than benefits and salary increases to teachers; and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the school district.

Amended Article 15 voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Article 15 voted by a show of cards (as amended).

Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Motion: By Kathleen Hoelzel, duly seconded by Sandra Ellis to recess this meeting to March 23, 1985, at 3:30 p.m.

Voted by a show of cards. Voted in the Affirmative.

The moderator recessed the meeting at 9:43 p.m.

Linda J. Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

This is a true copy of the minutes of the March 9, 1985 Raymond School District Meeting.

Attest:

Linda J. Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING
March 9, 1985

Linda J. Hoelzel, Raymond School District Clerk, hereby amends the minutes of the Annual Raymond School District Meeting held March 9, 1985, in the following respects.

Article 10 Motion: By Kathleen Hoelzel, duly seconded by Sandra Ellis that the district raise and appropriate \$88,218.00 as a supplemental appropriation for the 1984-1985 school fiscal year, such appropriation being made necessary by the expected overexpenditure of \$72,502.00 in the special education account and the overexpenditure of \$15,716.00 in the transportation account.

Debbie Frazier, Maurice Demeritt, Hughin Holt and Kathleen Hoelzel all spoke on the article as amended. The discussion by the aforementioned people made clear to the voters that adoption of the article as amended would necessitate the raising of \$59,251 by additional taxes.

Subsequent to the discussion of the amended article, Article 10, as amended, was voted in the AFFIRMATIVE by a show of cards.

Article 13 Motion: By Hughin Holt, duly seconded by Kathleen Hoelzel that the district raise and appropriate \$61,561 as a supplemental appropriation for the 1984-1985 school fiscal year, such sum of money to be used to pay obligations incurred in the making of renovations and additions to the Raymond schools.

Hughin Holt explained the necessity for the article being included in the warrant. He explained that certain work had been done, all of which was required, and that the raising and appropriating of \$61,561 under this article would result in taxes being levied on the residents of Raymond in the amount of \$61,561.

Article 13 voted by a show of cards. Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

The amendments as set forth above amend the original minutes of the March 9, 1985, meeting as previously submitted to the Raymond School Board and the New Hampshire Department of Revenue Administration.

Linda J. Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

A true copy of the amendments made to the original minutes concerning Articles 10 and 13 of the March 9, 1985, Raymond Annual School District Meeting.

Linda J. Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

On May 28, 1985

Personally appeared the said Linda Hoelzel and made oath the above certificate by Linda Hoelzel signed is true.

Before me David R. Cawley
Justice of the Peace/Notary Public
Rockingham County
State of New Hampshire

ADDENDUM to the minutes of the March 9, 1985 Raymond School District Meeting.

The following has been transcribed from the cassette tapes of the Raymond School District Meeting of March 9, 1985:

The moderator read Article 10 from the Warrant.

The moderator: "Do I have a motion? Kathy".

Kathleen Hoelzel: Mr. Moderator, I move that the district raise and appropriate Eighty-Eight Thousand, Two Hundred Eighteen Dollars (\$88,218.00) as a supplemental appropriation for the 84-85 school fiscal year, such appropriation being made necessary by the expected overexpenditure of Forty-Three Thousand, Five Hundred Thirty-Five Dollars (\$43,535.00) in the special education account and the overexpenditure of Fifteen Thousand, Seven Hundred Sixteen Dollars (\$15,716.00) in the transportation account." The State Board of Education, on December 12, approved the expenditure of Eighty-Eight Thousand, Two Hundred Eighteen Dollars (\$88,218.00) as an emergency expenditure under the provisions of RSA 32:10-a."

Moderator: "I have a second?"

Sandra Ellis: "Second."

Moderator: "I have a second from Sandy Ellis. You'd like to speak Kathy?"

Kathleen Hoelzel: "Mr. Moderator, I wish to amend Article 10 to read as follows: I move that the district raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty-Nine Thousand, Two Hundred Fifty-One Dollars (\$59,251.00) as a supplemental appropriation being made necessary by the expected overexpenditure of Forty-Three Thousand, Five Hundred Thirty-Five Dollars (\$43,535.00) in the special education account and the overexpenditure of Fifteen Thousand, Seven Hundred Sixteen Dollars (\$15,716.00) in the transportation account."

Moderator: "I have a second for this amendment?"

Ronald Simone: "Second."

Moderator: "Second from Ron Simone. Do you understand what the amendment is? The amendment is to reduce the amount from Eighty-Eight Thousand, Two Hundred Eighteen (\$88,218.00) to Fifty-Nine Thousand, Two

Hundred Fifty-One Dollars (\$59,251.00). Is there any discussion on the amendment? Yes. Can we have that mike please? Go ahead."

Kevin Pratt: "Kevin Pratt. How can you come up with this figure Eighty-Eight Thousand Dollars and then reduce it? I know it's a guesstimate to begin with, but how can you come up with it and put it in the book if it's not an actual figure?"

Kathleen Hoelzel: "Well, actually, at the time that this was drawn up, we did expect it to be Eighty-Eight Thousand but due to the placements we've been able to save some money so it's not quite as much. It's all been calculated but by our superintendent and our director of special services, Cheryl Strachko.

Kevin Pratt: "So how can you have a calculated overexpenditure?"

Moderator: "Maybe I can help explain that. The school board is mandated to educate students with special educational needs, and unfortunately the number of students so enrolled at the beginning of the year may not remain the same and if more students come, they must educate them, there's no choice in the matter; and so, it's a guesstimate, is this correct. This now new figure of fifty-nine thousand is the actual figure as adopted and changed since what they thought it was going to be then."

Kevin Pratt: "So some students dropped out from the beginning, is that why this dropped so radically?"

Kathleen Hoelzel: "Well, actually, in the beginning of the year, around November, we had more students and it was calculated out at eighty-eight thousand. Now, there's been reduced costs also through the ah - less placements."

Kevin Pratt: "Less placements."

Kathleen Hoelzel: "Right."

Kevin Pratt: "O'kay, thank you."

Moderator: "Are there any further questions on the amendment; which is to reduce the amount from the original eighty-eight thousand, two hundred eighteen to fifty-nine thousand, two hundred fifty-one dollars. Are you ready for the question?"

An indication of yes from the floor.

Moderator: "All those in favor of the amendment to reduce the amount to fifty-nine thousand, two hundred fifty-one, please signify by raising your cards. Thank you. All those opposed. It is a vote in the affirmative and I so declare it. We are now discussing the article as amended. Is there any discussion on this article? Are you ready for the question? O'okay, we have a question here."

Debbie Frazier: "The name is Debbie Frazier. What happens if we say no? I just want to know. If we say no, we're not going to pay this bill, what are they gonna - what's going to happen?"

Moderator: "O'okay, fine. I'll recognize Tim Demeritt."

Maurice (Tim) Demeritt: "If we say no, we still are mandated to pay that cost; that means that we take fifty-nine thousand dollars out of somewhere else, and so we're just giving you the opportunity to vote to pay where we need it, and I don't know, if it doesn't pass, where it will come out. It has to come out, we cannot overexpend our budget. So, it comes out of co-curriculars, it comes out of bussing, it comes out of, ah, somewhere."

Moderator: "Does that answer your question? O'okay. Any further questions? Hughin?"

Hughin Holt: "I think people should also recognize the fact, in the same way that sometimes students that have special education move from Raymond during the course of the year, thereby reducing our costs and students who have special education can move to Raymond during the course of the year. This is March, and we have several more months to go. So, basically, this amount of money is what it would take to balance up the special education, out-of-district placement cost. But, if someone should be moving into this town today and their need is such that they have to be placed someplace ah, we will have to do it and we will go into the red."

Moderator: "Is there any further discussion? Kathy?"

Kathleen Hoelzel: "Part of this is transportation costs and I think that deserves an explanation also. At the time - presently we are in a new contract and we underbudgeted at the time we did the budget last year, this was approved by the State Board of Education on December 12."

Moderator: "Hughin?"

Hughin Holt: "One thing that is encouraging is that the governor, recently, has indicated, that he supports a greater amount of money in the state budget next year to help to subsidize catastrophic costs in education, and these are the kinds of costs which hit school districts, which are called catastrophic. At the present time, the school district gets something in the vicinity, like Raymond maybe gets fifteen to twenty percent of these costs reimbursed. That's still an eighty percent catastrophe when you get hit with bills like this that you didn't anticipate. But the governor has indicated that he supports for next year....."

At this point Side 1 of Tape 3 ran out.

The following is the beginning of Side 2 of Tape 3:

Moderator: "We are voting not on Article number 10, which is: I move that the district raise and appropriate the sum of fifty-nine thousand, two hundred fifty-one dollars (\$59,251.00) as a supplemental appropriation for the 1984-85 school fiscal year, such appropriation being made necessary by the expected overexpenditure of forty-three thousand, five hundred thirty-five (\$43,535.00) in the special education account and the overexpenditure of fifteen thousand, seven hundred sixteen dollars (\$15,716.00) in the transportation account."

Moderator: "All those in favor of this motion, please signify by raising voting cards. Thank you. All those opposed. It is a vote in the affirmative. and I so declare it."

The following has been transcribed from the cassette tapes of the Raymond School District Meeting of March 9, 1985, Tape 4, Side A:

The moderator read Article 13.

Moderator: "Do I have a motion?"

Hughin Holt: "Mr. Moderator, I move that the district raise and appropriate Sixty-One Thousand, Five Hundred Sixty-One Dollars (\$61,561.00) as a supplemental appropriation for the 1984-85 school fiscal year, such sum of money to be used to pay obligations incurred in the making of renovations and additions to the Raymond schools."

Moderator: "Do I have a second? Kathy Hoelzel. (Second) Would you like to speak to this?"

Hughin Holt: "Last spring, it came to the attention of the school board that because of projected first grade enrollments and enrollments in the Middle School and High School and courses that the students had elected to take, that we were going to be in a essentially insoluble unsolvable dilemma for space. We had budgeted some money a year ago to provide for some of the things to help us in that regard. Now, what we did was, Raymond's way of solving problems many times is, when you can't build more rooms, you take the existing rooms and you put a wall and make two rooms out of one. Obviously you don't create any more square footage by doing so. We had some money then in our budget at the elementary school to take, ah, to essentially make four rooms out of three, or was it three out of two. Four rooms out of three, I guess it was. By doing that, if you are aware of the construction of the elementary school you are aware of the fact that the walls are moveable; now not easily moveable and not inexpensively moveable, but moveable. And so we had budgeted money for that purpose. Unfortunately, we grossly underbudgeted the amount of money that it was going to cost to do that. In addition, when you do that you have problems of heating, because the heating is set into the wall and you start moving walls around, the heating pipes don't move nearly as easily as the walls do which, I said, do not move easily at all either. Also, you have problems with other kinds of so forth in those several rooms. So we did have some money for that purpose, however, the impact upon the elementary school was such that we were faced with probably taking the media room in the center, the multipurpose, ah, not the multipurpose room, the media room in the center part of the school and considering using that for some classrooms; or we had the option of taking the music program which was using a room in the school and essentially making that room a classroom and making the music program sort of like a portable piano, moved around from room to room. We determined we did not want to see the quality of the program diminished in that way so decided that what we would do was to spend money to relocate the wall, the plumbing and the heating; and that we would take the cottage which was located down there, it was formerly a red cottage, now yellow; which is located essentially on the banks of the Lamprey River and we would do some renovations in that so that the

music program could be moved there. At the same time at the high school it was reported to us that numbers of students electing courses and so forth was such that we were going to be faced with taking the area in the media center, I'm not sure how many of you are aware of this area, but the balcony portion that covers probably half of the second stories the old gymnasium, now the media center. We were going to take and move all of the stacks, all the shelves that had books in them, move them downstairs and take and spend money to put in some walls to wall off the balcony to make a couple of classrooms there. Ah, it was determined by the board that this would be a very short term thing. If we went ahead and spent good money and it was estimated that it would cost us twenty thousand dollars to do that. To go ahead and move the stacks downstairs, and remove the study area in the library to put walls upstairs would cause us to have something to tear out in a few years time when the space problem wasn't that bad so in other words, it would have twenty thousand dollars to put it up and then another amount of money to rip it down in a few years time. We determined then that we would take what had in our budget for construction projects like that and go into building two additional classrooms, three additional... two large... two regular size classrooms, one small size classroom for special education and do some renovations to a hallway to provide some more office space. And that result was then that we were able to take forty-five thousand, six hundred ten dollars (\$45,610.00) that was in our budget for this year, that were for construction kinds of things. Now, if you remember a year we were telling you how important it was to tear the shingles off the old red, the old part of the building, what we call the 100 wing, the oldest part of Raymond High School, because it's sad, it's an eyesore. We had seventeen thousand dollars (\$17,000.00) in the budget to do that; however, given the importance of removing the shingles, which were an eyesore or creating some space for English classes and special education classes, we determined the priority should be to take that money and use this to afford the additional two and a half classrooms and renovations which were done down here. So we found within the budget for construction projects forty-five thousand, six hundred and ten dollars (\$45,610.00). The total amount of construction that took place, at both places, at the elemen-

tary school and at the high school was somewhere in the vicinity of one hundred sixty-two thousand, nine hundred thirty-four dollars (\$162,934.00), that's somewhere in the vicinity of. So say that's somewhere in the vicinity of one hundred sixty-three thousand dollars (\$163,000.00). Now, when you are doing a project like this and you have the potential to get state building aid, then you would tend to take everything that possibly can and include in the project because if you're going to get thirty percent, you might as well get thirty percent of one hundred and sixty thousand as get thirty percent of one hundred and forty thousand dollars, given that the State of New Hampshire does not throw its building aid around all that much, the more you can get the better we feel about it. So, for example, when you are doing a building project and you put new furniture in that building, the furniture can be considered a part of the building project. We already had desks ordered, these desks were going to go into the middle school, Lord knows the desks in the middle school are pretty sad; but rather than take these desks and use them to replace the old desks in the middle school we let the middle school go on as we have so many times before with the old desks. We took these new desks and put them in the new space but we included that cost within the total amount of money so that we started off then with about one hundred sixty-three thousand dollars, that would be the total amount of all the projects. Ah, forty-five thousand, six hundred ten dollars is what we were able to take from construction accounts like the siding on the old high school part of the building. We also froze expenditures in the existing budget. We froze existing budget to an extent and a degree that I'm not happy about it, but an additional sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) was frozen so if you subtract the forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000.00) and the sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) from the one hundred sixty-three thousand dollars (\$163,000.00) that the total project cost. That's where the sixty-one thousand, five hundred sixty-one dollars (\$61,561.00) comes from. In other words, the net balance of short fall on this project is sixty-one thousand, five hundred sixty-one dollars (\$61,561.00). Now, we will get thirty percent state building aid, now the thirty percent state building aid will be thirty percent of the total amount of the project, not what you have to vote for here now; but what the total

amount of the project was. So thirty percent then of one hundred sixty-three thousand dollars is about forty-nine thousand dollars (\$49,000.00). So by voting sixty-one thousand dollars now to cover the short fall on the projects, in time, five or ten years, I'm not sure how long this will be spread out by the state in paying it back, we will get forty-nine thousand dollars (\$49,000.00) back. So the net cost then, ah, in additional money will be the difference between forty-nine and sixty-one, so we're talking twelve or thirteen thousand dollars."

Moderator: "We are still on the current article of number 13 I believe. O'kay, did you wish to speak to this article. Dwight, you were standing up. No. O'kay. Is there any further discussion on article number 13? Are you ready for the question on article number 13? Article 13, I move that the district raise and appropriate sixty-one thousand, five hundred sixty-one dollars (\$61,561.00) as a supplemental appropriation for the 1984-85 school fiscal year, such sum of money to be used to pay obligations incurred in the making of renovations and additions to the Raymond schools. All those in favor of article number 13 please signify by raising your cards. Thank you. All thoses opposed. It is a vote in the AFFIRMATIVE and I so declare it."

Linda J. Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

A true copy of the cassette tape of Articles 10 and 13 of the March 9, 1985, Raymond School District Meeting.

Attest:
Linda J. Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

The polls will be open from 10:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

To the inhabitants of the Town of Raymond, in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Raymond High School gymnasium in said Raymond on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March, 1986, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1

To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 2

Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 72:37 for the exemption for the blind from property tax? This statute provides that every inhabitant who is legally blind shall be exempt each year from property tax on a residence to the value of \$15,000.00. **(Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.)**

ARTICLE 3

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article 3:4 of the Town Zoning Ordinances by including in the Industrial ("D") Zone established by Article 3:4 the "Campbell Premises" located northerly on Route 101 and westerly of Nottingham Road and more particularly described in the deeds recorded in the Rockingham County Registry of Deeds at Book 1161, Page 85 and Book 1188, Page 263; Corresponding changes being made in Articles 3:2 and 3:3 of the Town Zoning Ordinances to remove the aforesaid premises from the Residential/Agricultural ("B") Zone and the Commercial ("C") Zone, respectively. **(Inserted on petition of twenty-five or more registered voters.)**
THE PLANNING BOARD RECOMMENDS A "YES" VOTE ON THIS ARTICLE.

ARTICLE 4

To see if the Town will vote to enact the following amendments to the Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Raymond Planning Board:

Amendment 1 - "Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows: To change the zoning map in the area principally of Route 27 and Route 107/102 by changing zoning classifications from residential/agricultural, commercial, and industrial to residential/agricultural, commercial and industrial as shown on the zoning maps as posted, and to change Section 3 of the zoning ordinance to conform to said changes."

Amendment 2 - "Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows: To amend Article 2 of the ordinance, "Definitions", by amending certain definitions and adding others to the ordinance."

Amendment 3 - "Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #3 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows: To delete Articles 4:1 - 4:5 listing permitted uses and replace them with new Articles 4:1 - 4:5 amending said list of permitted uses."

Article 4 - "Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #4 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows: To adopt definitions as amendments to Article 2 for "home business", "home office" and "home shop."

Given under our hands and seal this eleventh day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and eight-six.

Sally L. Paradis
Selectmen of Raymond Harold R. Wood, Jr.
Ronald P. Simone

A True Copy of Warrant - Attest

Sally L. Paradis
Selectmen of Raymond Harold R. Wood, Jr.
Ronald P. Simone

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

The Polls will be open at 10:00 A.M.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Raymond, in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Raymond High School gymnasium in said Raymond on Saturday, the fifteenth day of March, 1986, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1

To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the year ensuing and make appropriations of same.

ARTICLE 2

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for, accept and expend, without further action by the town meeting, money for the State, Federal, or other governmental unit, or a private source, which becomes available during the year, provided the monies be used only for legal purposes for which a town may appropriate money and that the expenditure not require the expenditure of other town funds. Further, that the Selectmen will hold a public hearing on the action to be taken.

ARTICLE 3

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

ARTICLE 4

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to transfer tax liens and convey property acquired by the town by tax collector's deed by public auction (or advertised sealed bid) or in such other manner as determined by the Selectmen as justice may require.

ARTICLE 5

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-seven Thousand Dollars (\$27,000) as the Town's share for rehabilitating the Epping Street Bridge. This appropriation is contingent upon receiving Fifty Four Thousand Dollars (\$54,000) in State Aid. RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

ARTICLE 6

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) as the Town's share for replacing the Onway Lake Outlet Bridge, and to authorize the withdrawal of this sum from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund. This appropriation is contingent upon receipt of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) in State Aid. RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

ARTICLE 7

To see if the Town will authorize the continuance of the Safety Complex Committee formed by the Board of Selectmen in January of 1985. The function of the Committee is to evaluate current and future space requirements for the Fire Department, Police Department, Dispatch Center, Civil Defense Department, and the Raymond Ambulance Association. The Committee will report its findings and recommendations to the Board of Selectmen for further action at the 1987 town meeting.

ARTICLE 8

To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into an agreement for the purchase of land for future town purposes, such purchase to be authorized by a town meeting vote.

ARTICLE 9

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) for the purpose of renovating the present Dispatch/Police office area, such renovation not to increase the floor area now occupied by these departments within the Fire Station. RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

ARTICLE 10

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-eight Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty-five Dollars (\$28,835) in support of the following Social Service Agencies: Seacoast Mental Health Center, Inc. - \$2,500; Rockingham County Community Action Program, Inc. - \$10,055; Newmarket Regional Health Center - \$2,500; Area Homemaker-Home Health Aide Service - \$3,000; Rockingham Child & Family Services - \$2,290; Exeter Area Visiting Nurse Association - \$8,490. RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

ARTICLE 11

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Sixty Dollars (\$1,060) for the purpose of defraying the cost of services provided to the Town of Raymond and its residents by Seacoast Big Brother/Big Sister of New Hampshire. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.)
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

ARTICLE 12

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Dollars (\$1,400) in support of the Richie McFarland Children's Center. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.)
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

ARTICLE 13

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750) in support of the Seacoast Task Force on Family Violence, operators of A Safe Place, a shelter for battered women and their children. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.)
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE.

ARTICLE 14

To see if the voters of Raymond will vote to abolish the Charter and bylaws of the present Raymond Water Department. Upon passage of this article, a new Raymond Water Department will be established, and will operate under the following guidelines:

I - Assets & Property

A - All assets and property of the Raymond Water Department will become the property of the Town of Raymond.

- 1** - Any monies which are now in any bank accounts of the Raymond Water Department will be placed in a Capital Reserve Fund for future improvements, repairs or expansion of the Raymond Water Dept.

II - Commissioners

A - The Raymond Water Department will consist of a three member Board of Water Commissioners. They will be

elected, as in the past, to a three year term.

- 1** - The present Water Commissioners will finish out the term for which they were elected.

B - The duties of the Water Commissioners will consist of the following:

- 1** - They will serve in an advisory capacity to the Board of Selectmen. They will report to the Selectmen, weekly, on any matters concerning the operations of the Raymond Water Department.
- 2** - They will advise the Selectmen on any major problems concerning the Raymond Water Department and will advise the Selectmen on any long range improvements that may be needed.
- 3** - They will supervise, under the direction of the Selectmen, any minor repairs or improvements to the Raymond Water Department.
- 4** - They will prepare, with the assistance of the Selectmen, the annual budget of the Raymond Water Department.

C - Each Commissioner will receive Two Hundred Dollars (\$200) per year as payment to fulfill his duties as Water Commissioner.

- 1** - No Commissioner will work as an employee of the Raymond Water Department without prior approval of the Board of Selectmen.

III - Employees of the Raymond Water Department

A - All employees of the Raymond Water Department will become employees of the Town of Raymond, and will fulfill their duties as instructed by the Board of Selectmen.

- 1** - The Water Commissioners may advise the Selectmen on any needed work that employees may have to do.
- 2** - Any employee of the Raymond Water Department will report immediately to the Commissioners any major problem or malfunction of the Raymond Water System.

B - All employees of the Raymond Water Department will be paid according to the pay schedule set by the Board of Selectmen.

IV - Selectmen's Duties

A - The Board of Selectmen will be solely responsible for the operation of the Raymond Water Department.

- 1** - The Selectmen will consult with the Water Commissioners before any decisions concerning the Raymond Water Department are made, but the Selectmen will make the final decision in any matters concerning the Raymond Water Department.
- 2** - The Selectmen will be responsible for seeing that any employee of the Raymond Water Department fulfills his duties, and the Selectmen will establish a job description for all Raymond Water Department employees.

V - Bylaws

A - Within sixty (60) days after passage of this article, the Selectmen and the Water Commissioners will establish and publish a new set of bylaws of the Raymond Water Department.

- 1** - Each Selectman and each Water Commissioner will have an equal vote in regards to the passage of the bylaws.
- 2** - The bylaws of the Raymond Water Department can be changed or upgraded as needed, with each Selectman and each Water Commissioner having an equal vote.

Upon passage of this article, the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000) will be raised and appropriated within the Water Department Budget to offset any necessary cost of education or schooling of at least one Water Department employee, so that the employee may obtain any license or certificate that may be required by the State of New Hampshire, or that the Selectmen may feel the employee needs.

Any legal services necessary to implement this article, will also be paid from the above \$2,000. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.)

ARTICLE 15

Whereas department heads and Town Officers in the Town of Raymond set policies and make decisions affecting all residents of the Town; and

Whereas these policies and decisions affect our property, liberty and safety; and

Whereas Raymond is a community providing housing that is very affordable in comparison to communities in the area; and

Whereas residing in a community fosters fuller understanding of a community; and

Whereas better understanding is likely to result in better policies and decisions.

Now therefore be it resolved that the Town of Raymond adopt the following ordinance:

To hold any of the following officers, a person shall be required to be a fulltime resident of Raymond: Chief of Police, Fire Chief, Road Agent, Health Officer, Building Inspector and Administrative Assistant. (Inserted on petition of ten or more registered voters.)

ARTICLE 16

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen on behalf of the Town to enter into a cooperative agreement, pursuant to RSA Chapter 53-A, for the purpose of joining together towns in a joint and cooperative effort for the disposal of solid waste in a manner which will meet federal and state regulations. The cooperative to be formed under the cooperative agreement will designated the "Tri-County Solid Waste Management Cooperative". A copy of the current draft of the proposed cooperative agreement is posted with the warrant and is available at town offices during normal business hours. The Board of Selectmen is specifically authorized on behalf of the Town (a) to execute and deliver the agreement (with such changes therein from the posted agreement as the Board of Selectmen shall approve, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by the Board of Selectmen's execution thereof), and such other instruments, documents, and agreements as the Board of Selectmen, in cooperation with the Town Counsel, may deem necessary or desirable in furtherance of the purposes of this agreement, including but not limited to instruments, documents and agreements with private parties for the collection, transportation, delivery and disposition of all or part of any solid waste generated within the Town to designated by the Town for processing, or for other disposition of all or part of any solid waste generated within the Town to designated resource recovery facilities or such other facilities as may be designated by the Town for processing, or for other disposition or handling; (b) to cause to be performed all obligations which may from time to time be required pursuant to the terms of the cooperative agreement; and (c) to take action thereto.

ARTICLE 17

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen on behalf of the Town to enact ordinances concerning the supervision and regulation of the collection, transportation, delivery and disposition of all or part of any solid waste generated within the Town so that the same is delivered to a designated resource facility or such other facilities as may be designated by the Town for processing or for other disposition or handling.

ARTICLE 18

To see if the Town will vote to adopt written welfare guidelines as proposed by the Board of Selectmen. Chapter 380 of the Laws of 1985 requires the Town to adopt written welfare guidelines prior to April 1, 1986. (Copies of the full text of the proposed guidelines are on file with the Town Clerk.)

Given under our hands and seal this eleventh day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and eight-six.

Sally L. Paradis
Harold R. Woods, Jr.
Ronald P. Simone
Selectmen of Raymond

A True Copy of Warrant - Attest

Sally L. Paradis
Harold R. Wood, Jr.
Ronald P. Simone
Selectmen of Raymond

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF RAYMOND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

	Actual Appropriations 1985	Actual Expenditures 1985	Selectmen's Budget 1986	Budget Com. Recommended 1986
PURPOSES OF APPROPRIATION (RSA 31:4)				
GENERAL GOVERNMENT				
Town Officers Salary	37,940.00	36,279.00	48,880.00	48,880.00
Town Officers Expenses	83,995.00	85,877.00	97,050.00	97,050.00
Election and Registration Expenses	1,500.00	1,558.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Cemeteries	18,000.00	4,177.00	27,200.00	27,200.00
General Government Buildings	25,320.00	16,411.00	25,160.00	25,160.00
Reappraisal of Property	17,000.00	1,871.00	8,500.00	8,500.00
Planning and Zoning	3,000.00	8,337.00	21,170.00	21,170.00
Legal Expenses	10,000.00	11,634.00	12,500.00	12,500.00
Advertising and Regional Association	4,582.00	4,582.00	4,720.00	4,720.00
Contingency Fund	5,000.00		5,000.00	5,000.00
Board of Adjustment	1,000.00	1,187.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Consultant Service	5,000.00		7,500.00	7,500.00
Raymond/Chester Line Survey	1,175.00			
Office Equipment	2,500.00		10,000.00	10,000.00
PUBLIC SAFETY				
Police Department	144,313.00	143,562.00	186,740.00	186,740.00
Fire Department	57,165.00	51,780.00	75,760.00	75,760.00
Civil Defense	3,000.00	2,195.00	3,800.00	3,800.00
Building Inspection/Health Dept.	18,950.00	19,792.00	27,400.00	27,400.00
Dispatch Center	61,512.00	64,684.00	67,980.00	67,980.00
Forest Fires	1,000.00	3,201.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Police-Outside Employment			10,000.00	10,000.00
Hydrant Rental	6,000.00	6,000.00		
HIGHWAYS, STREETS & BRIDGES				
Town Maintenance	128,080.00	132,594.00	158,130.00	158,130.00
General Highway Department Expenses	35,600.00	33,679.00	35,600.00	35,600.00
Street Lighting	44,000.00	19,036.00	44,000.00	44,000.00
Highway Block Grant Aid	75,000.00	69,800.00	73,700.00	73,700.00
Tarring/Reconstruction	59,700.00	65,652.00	83,600.00	83,600.00
Butterfield Lane-Drainage	5,500.00	5,216.00		
Epping Street Bridge Repairs			27,000.00	27,000.00
SANITATION				
Solid Waste Disposal	107,500.00	101,079.00	113,260.00	113,260.00
Landfill Closure (R.S.)	15,000.00			
HEALTH				
Soc. Sev. Agencies			28,835.00	28,835.00
Hospitals and Ambulances	10,000.00	10,000.00	8,450.00	8,450.00
Animal Control	12,980.00	11,801.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
A Safe Place			750.00	750.00
Seacoast Counseling Center	2,500.00	2,500.00		
Newmarket Health Center	2,000.00	2,000.00		
Exeter Area Visiting Nurse	8,450.00	8,450.00		

WELFARE

General Assistance	24,500.00	64,468.00	30,500.00	30,500.00
Old Age Assistance	17,500.00	14,771.00		
Rock. Co. CAP	6,688.00	6,688.00		
Child & Family Services	3,870.00	3,870.00		
Homemaker Home/Health Aide	2,500.00	2,500.00		

CULTURE AND RECREATION

Library	19,424.00	19,424.00	25,790.00	25,790.00
Parks and Recreation	58,658.00	55,060.00	61,110.00	61,110.00
Patriotic Purposes	750.00	823.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Conservation Commission	300.00		300.00	300.00
Recreation Fees & Charges	25,000.00	26,101.00	30,000.00	30,000.00
Seacoast Big Brother/Big Sister			1,060.00	1,060.00
McFarland Children's Center			1,400.00	1,400.00

DEBT SERVICE

Principal of Long-Term Bonds & Notes			20,000.00	20,000.00
Interest Exp. - Long-Term Bonds & Notes			13,880.00	13,880.00
Interest Exp. - Tax Anticipation Notes	20,000.00	24,364.00	22,500.00	22,500.00

CAPITAL OUTLAY

Prescott Road Bridge (R.S.)	48,000.00			
B & M R.O.W. Acquisition	20,000.00	2,000.00	2,200.00	2,200.00
Onway Lake Outlet Bridge (R.S.)			50,000.00	50,000.00
Dispatch/Police Renovations			5,000.00	5,000.00

OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT

Payments to Capital Reserve Funds:

Highway Equipment	25,000.00	25,000.00		
Fire Equipment	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Dispatch Equipment	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00

MISCELLANEOUS

Municipal Water Department	193,000.00	114,964.00	218,660.00	212,660.00
FICA, Retirement & Pension Contributions	39,000.00	37,289.00	41,500.00	41,500.00
Insurance	57,000.00	60,961.00	116,330.00	116,330.00
Unemployment Compensation	2,500.00	1,424.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Purchased Water			2,000.00	2,000.00
Water Project Bond	428,000.00			

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS

2,017,952.00	1,396,641.00	1,883,915.00	1,877,915.00
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Less: Amount of Estimated Revenues, Exclusive of Taxes

1,164,418.00

Amount of Taxes to be Raised (Exclusive of School and County Taxes)

719,497.00

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenues 1985	Actual Revenues 1985	Estimated Revenues 1986
TAXES			
Resident Taxes	47,000.00	57,600.00	50,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	5.00	5.00	5.00
Yield Taxes	2,500.00	7,298.00	5,000.00
Interest and Penalties on Taxes	110,000.00	107,163.00	110,000.00
Inventory Penalties			
Land Use Change Tax	3,000.00	1,990.00	15,000.00
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES - STATE			
Shared Revenue - Block Grant	82,000.00	84,693.00	85,000.00
Highway Block Grant	75,000.00	75,462.00	73,700.00
Other Reimbursements - Civil Defense		768.00	1,500.00
Forest Fires		1,738.00	
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES - FEDERAL			
Community Development Block Grant		103,187.00	3,801.00
Highway Safety Project			1,752.00
LICENSES AND PERMITS			
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	250,000.00	320,398.00	325,000.00
Dog Licenses	4,500.00	3,943.00	4,000.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	6,500.00	7,070.00	6,500.00
Town Clerk Fees	5,000.00	2,444.00	2,500.00
CHARGES FOR SERVICES			
Income from Departments	30,000.00	29,223.00	30,000.00
Recreation Fees & Charges	25,000.00	26,976.00	30,000.00
Police-Outside Employment			10,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES			
Interest on Deposits	35,000.00	36,571.00	35,000.00
Sale of Town Property		580.00	
Legal Expense & Contingency		1,770.00	
Insurance Refunds/Recoveries		4,298.00	5,000.00
Other Miscellaneous		4,834.00	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES			
Proceeds of Bonds and Long-Term Notes	428,000.00	200,000.00	
Income from Water and Sewer Departments	193,000.00	193,000.00	218,660.00
Withdrawal from Capital Reserve	62,000.00	50,000.00	12,000.00
Revenue Sharing Fund	63,000.00	63,000.00	50,000.00
Fund Balance	50,000.00	33,172.00	85,000.00
Trust Funds	5,000.00	4,177.00	5,000.00
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	1,476,505.00	1,421,360.00	1,164,418.00

RECONVENED RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

March 23, 1985

The Raymond School District Meeting, reconvened from March 9, 1985, was called to order at 3:32 p.m. in the Raymond Community Gymnasium by the moderator, J. Chandler Newton. The moderator then recessed the meeting until all persons waiting in line could receive their voting cards.

The moderator called the meeting back to order at 4:00 p.m.

Method of Voting: Articles that were not voted upon by secret ballot were voted upon by raising "cream" colored voting cards with the letter "C" printed on them; or "brown" colored voting cards with the letter "H" printed on them; unless declared otherwise by the moderator.

BALLOT CLERKS:

Assunta Ege	Marion Lovejoy
Margaret Case	Joan King
Pauline Gordon	Frank O'Brien
Rita Curtis	Shirley Dodge

The moderator then announced that school board member Hughin Holt was defeated in the recent school district election. Under state law, Mr. Holt was eligible to serve on the school board through the completion of this meeting. Mr. Holt elected to resign and the school board appointed Elizabeth O'Donnel to fill out his term to the end of this meeting.

At this point, the moderator recognized school board chairperson Kathleen Hoelzel, for a point of personal privilege.

Kathleen Hoelzel thanked the Raymond Ambulance Association for canceling their dance they were to hold tonight. The dance is rescheduled for April 27, 1985, and Mrs. Hoelzel stated that she hoped everyone would continue to support this worthwhile organization.

The moderator then read the School District Warrant, Article 1.

Article 1

Motion: By Timothy Louis, duly seconded by Robert Carlberg, that the district appropriate the sum of Five Million, Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$5,950,000.00) for acquiring land and for the construction of a new high school and for the purchase of equipment of a lasting character in connection therewith; that to raise this appropriation, the school board is

authorized to borrow Five Million, Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$5,950,000.00) under the Municipal Finance Act; and that the school board is authorized to take all other action necessary to carry out the project.

At this time the moderator gave the building committee time to state their issue; after which time the floor would be open for general discussion.

First to speak was Henry Dubois, high school principal, on curriculum requirements.

Maurice Demeritt discussed alternatives to a new building.

Roger Woodhead was recognized to speak on costs.

Steven Sloan spoke about the growth of the town.

Marion Lovejoy was recognized to speak about on-going needs.

The architect, Frank Maranais, spoke on the proposed structure.

The moderator opened the floor for general discussion on Article 1 at 4:30 p.m.

After lengthy discussion, a motion was made to move the question.

Motion: By Mike Quintal, duly seconded by Calvin Warburton to move the question and to keep the polls open for three (3) hours.

Voted by a show of cards.

Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

The moderator declared the polls open at 5:25 p.m. Polls would remain open until 8:30 p.m. when the vote would be counted and the meeting would reconvene.

The moderator, Chandler Newton declared the polls closed at 8:30 p.m.

The ballot boxes were opened and the ballot clerks counted the vote.

The moderator reconvened the meeting at 8:45 p.m.

Article 1

Total Votes Cast: 990

Total votes needed to pass 663. A bond issue article must pass by two-thirds of the total vote.

Yes: 508 No: 480

Blank: 2

Article 1 voted in the NEGATIVE.

Article 8

Motion: By Maurice Demeritt, duly seconded by Sandra Ellis, that the district raise and appropriate Three Hundred Ten Thousand, Five Hundred Forty Dollars (\$310,540.00) for tuitioning Raymond High School students out-of-district commencing with 9th grade in the 1985-1986 school year, and to authorize the school board to enter into an appropriate contract or contracts with other school districts to implement the tuitioning of all such high school students.

Voted by a show of cards which were counted.

Yes: 121 No: 185

Article 8 voted in the NEGATIVE.

Motion: By Roland Kimball, duly seconded by Donna Margaritas to adjourn the meeting.

Voted by a show of cards.

Voted in the NEGATIVE.

Motion: By Marjorie Kilcoyne, duly seconded by John Steward, Jr. to reconsider Article 1 on May 4, 1985, at 10:00 a.m. in the High School Gymnasium.

The moderator stated that there must be a public hearing because sixty (60) days have elapsed since the last public hearing.

Motion: By Nelson Sherman, duly seconded by Dennis Lorti to move the question.

Voted by a show of cards.

Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Vote to reconsider Article 1 on May 4, 1985.

Voted by a show of cards which were counted.

Yes: 229 No: 112

Motion: By Kathleen Fongellez, duly seconded by John Stewart, Jr. to recess the meeting until May 4, 1985, at 10:00 a.m.

Voted by a show of cards.

Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

The moderator recessed the March 23, 1985, Reconvened School District Meeting until May 4, 1985, at 10:00 a.m. The March 23, 1985 meeting was recessed at 10:13 p.m.

Linda J. Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

A true copy of the minutes of the Reconvened School District Meeting, March 23, 1985.

Attest:
Linda J. Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

RECONVENED RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

May 4, 1985

The moderator, J. Chandler Newton, announced that the polls were open for the Reconvened School District Meeting at 10:06 a.m.

The Raymond School District Meeting, reconvened from March 23, 1985, was called to order at 10:25 a.m. in the Raymond Community Gymnasium by the moderator.

Method of Voting: Articles that were not voted upon by secret ballot were voted upon by raising "yellow" colored voting cards with the letter "B" printed on them; unless declared otherwise by the moderator.

BALLOT CLERKS:

Margaret Case	Marion Lovejoy
Guy Spinney	Judith Frontierro
Frank O'Brien	Mary Spinney
Florence McRae	Rita Curtis

The moderator then stated that he had to leave the meeting to officiate at a wedding and would turn the meeting over to the Assistant Moderator, Frank G. Case.

The moderator, Frank Case stated that the meeting would be conducted under Simplified Rules of Order.

The moderator then read the warrant, Article 1.

Motion: By Kathleen Hoelzel, duly seconded by Maurice Demeritt, that the District appropriate the sum of Five Million, Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$5,950,000.00) for acquiring land and for the construction of a new high school and for the purchase of equipment of a lasting character in connection therewith; to raise this appropriation, the School Board is authorized to borrow Five Million, Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$5,950,000.00) under the Municipal Finance Act; and that the School Board is authorized to take all other action necessary to carry out the project.

A motion was made by Timothy Louis, duly seconded by Doc Anderson to amend Article 1 to read as follows:

AMENDMENT: That the District appropriate the sum of Four Million, Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$4,950,000.00) for acquiring land and for the construction of a new high school and for the purchase of equipment of a lasting character in

connection therewith; that to raise this appropriation the School Board is authorized to borrow Four Million, Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$4,950,000.00) under the Municipal Finance Act; and that the School Board is authorized to take all other action necessary to carry out the project.

At this time the moderator opened the floor for discussion of the amendment to Article 1.

After some discussin, Leslie Hoelzel asked to move the question.

The floor voted in the AFFIRMATIVE to move the question. Voted by a show of cards.

Steven Sloan requested that the vote to amend Article 1 be counted.

Voted by a counted show of cards.

Yes: 192 No: 30

Amendment to Article 1 voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

The School Board refrained from voting on the amendment to Article 1.

At this time, the moderator opened the floor for discussion of amended Article 1.

After a short discussion, Dennis Lorti asked to move the question.

The floor voted in the affirmative to move the question. Voted by a show of cards.

Motion: By Dennis Lorti, duly seconded by Mrs. Sloan that the polls be open for only one (1) hour.

Voted by a show of cards.

Voted in the NEGATIVE.

The moderator then gave the floor the option of voting to keep the polls open for two (2) hours.

The moderator asked for a counted vote.

Vote by a show of cards.

Yes: 135 No: 107

Vote to keep the polls open for two (2) hours was AFFIRMATIVE.

Sally Paradis stood up to ask if postings could be put in the voting booths and at the Supervisor's tables to let voters know they would be voting on a new amount on Article 1. There would be a lot of voters coming in to vote that were not present when the amended amount was voted on and therefore, would not know what the new amount was.

The moderator, Frank Case, stated that he did not think you could put the posters with the new amount into the voting booths, or at the Supervisor's tables. He was not sure if it was legal; but stated that posters could be put in the hallway and outside the building.

Motion: By Steven Sloan, duly seconded by Dennis Lorti to overrule the moderator and post the amount of the new bond on Article 1 at the Supervisor's tables.

Voted by a show of cards.

Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

The moderator was overruled.

The moderator stated the voting would be two (2) hours.

The ballot boxes were opened for inspection by the assistant moderator, Warren Clifford, and declared empty.

The moderator then read Amended Article 1.

The polls were declared open by the moderator at 11:35 a.m. and would remain open until 1:35 p.m. when the vote would be counted and the meeting would reconvene.

The polls were declared closed by the moderator, Chandler Newton, who resumed the rule of moderator, at 1:35 p.m.

The ballot boxes were then opened and the ballot clerks counted the vote.

Moderator, Chandler Newton, stated that the bond issue must pass by two-thirds of the total vote.

Amended Article 1.

Total Votes Cast:	638
Total Votes Needed	
to Pass:	427
YES: 344	NO: 296

Amended Article 1 voted in the NEGATIVE.

Motion: By Maurice Demeritt, duly seconded by Kathleen Hoelzel that the school district raise and appropriate Four Million, One Hundred Five Thousand, Three Hundred Thirty-One Dollars (\$4,105,331.00) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries and benefits for school district officials and agents other than benefits and salary increases to teachers; and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the school district.

Voted by a show of cards.

Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Motion: By Hughin Holt, duly seconded by John Steward, Jr. that this meeting be recessed until Monday, June 3, at 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of reconsidering Article 1. At that time the school board in consultation with the building advisory committee, and following a legal hearing, is requested to propose a school building bond issue consistent with the following:

1. A new building on a site within 1½ miles of the Town Common.
2. With renovation and/or additions to existing school buildings directed toward meeting expected high school standards and toward maintaining the present secondary facility as the high school in the immediate future.
3. Total cost for this bond issue not to exceed 4.95 million dollars, exclusive of the actual cost of the acquisition of the new site.

Further, that reconsidering may also be given to Article 15 to provide short term relief to crowding conditions in existing buildings and programs.

The moderator, Chandler Newton, ruled not to accept the motion.

Motion: By Don Smart, duly seconded by John Steward, Jr. to overrule the moderator.

Voted by a show of counted cards.

Yes: 91 No: 99

Voted in the NEGATIVE. The moderator was not overruled.

Motion: By Steven Keith, duly seconded by T. Anne Marvel to keep the school building committee together, if they wish, for the next year.

Voted by a show of cards.

Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

Motion: By Maurice Demeritt, duly seconded by Steven Sloan to adjourn the school district meeting.

Voted by a show of cards.

Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

The moderator declared the meeting adjourned at 2:16 p.m.

Linda J. Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

A true copy of the minutes of the Reconvened School District Meeting, May 4, 1985.

Attest:
Linda J. Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

At the Reconvened School District Meeting of May 4, 1985, a motion was made to reconsider Article 15.

This motion was voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

At this time, Maurice Demeritt made a motion on Article 15. This motion increased the monetary amount in Article 15 by Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$350,000).

After reading this motion, Mr. Demeritt gave an explanation as to why the amount of Article 15 was increased. In his statement, he gave the following reasons:

- Additional programs to meet state minimum standards and to employ staff to carry out those programs.
- Supplies to equip the new programs.
- Possibility of tuitioning out students.
- Possibility of portable classrooms.
- Possibility of double sessions.
- Building Committee expenses.
- Renovations because of fire and safety issues raised by the Fire Chief in regard to 100 wing.

Amended Article 15 was voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

A true copy of the issues brought up concerning Amended Article 15 of the Reconvened School District Meeting, on May 4, 1985.

Attest:
Linda J. Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk
September 23, 1985

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

At their meeting in April 1985 the SAU #15 Board approved the following objectives for the 1985-86 School Year:

- (a) To extract from the extensive classified employees' handbook written primarily for all principals and supervisors in SAU #15, and to write a mini-handbook for classified employees.
- (b) To develop a guide which would detail procedures to be followed in the recruitment and employment of teachers in SAU #15.
- (c) To complement the Annual School District Meeting Guide by working in conjunction with the State Department of Education, the New Hampshire School Administrators Association, and the New Hampshire Association of Educational Secretaries to complete the revision of the Annual School District Meeting Handbook for the State of New Hampshire.
- (d) To develop a revised budget format for use on an SAU #15 wide level.

Due to Raymond's withdrawal from SAU #15 effective July 1, 1986, the above objectives were put into a hold pattern and an emphasis was placed upon the operation of SAU #15 throughout this transitional period, which will cover a two year span, (1985-86) and (1986-87). Raymond, likewise in the formation of their new SAU #33, will experience similar changes.

A major change was made in the administration of the Raymond Middle School with the creation of the position of principal solely for the Middle School. Previously it had been under the supervision of the high school principal.

Several important issues were discussed within the district during the year, particularly the ongoing need to properly plan for the the ongoing need to properly plan for future growth of the community and the educational needs of all students.

In this regard the challenge of recruiting and keeping excellent teachers continues to be a major concern facing the Raymond School District. At a time when the State of New Hampshire is experiencing teacher shortages, a turnover in staff of approximately 60% for the second year in a row provides an inconsistent delivery of instruction. Over a period of time the quality of education will continue to erode to a devastated condition if this is allowed to continue.

In efforts to bring resolution to this concern and other related issues, a major step was taken by the citizens of Raymond as a decision was reached to acquire property for a site for a future school. The Raymond School Building Committee is to be commended for its extensive study of a number of building sites. This committee has been meeting weekly to study the school needs of Raymond and the various alternatives to solving the overcrowding of the schools.

Hydrogeological studies were made by engineers on the grounds of both the Lamprey River Elementary School and the Middle/Senior High School to determine the student capacity than can be accommodated in the leach fields without adversely affecting the town's water supply.

I wish to thank the Raymond School Board members, the citizens of the Town of Raymond, the school administrators, and all staff members of the schools for their continued support throughout the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
David R. Cawley
Superintendent of Schools

RAYMOND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

This committee is an advisory group to the School Administration. The committee consists of Assistant Superintendent for Business, three administrators, Head Bus Contractor, Maintenance Supervisor, and a School Board member.

This year we have not had the meetings I feel that should have been held. We are not just there to hear concerns, but to write policies, to present and be passed by the Raymond School Board; and the study of our Bus Routes.

I feel this Committee has a tough road

ahead. With all the new homes and developments all routes should be closely examined before September, 1986. Also a closer study of our training of drivers and watching the drivers should be closely examined.

This year when school opened (September 1985), New Hampshire had a 30 year record of no bus fatalities. Already in two and one half month's time, there have been two fatalities and this caused a real concern for me. I find we are getting a little lax in training and supervision of our drivers.

The Transportation Committee would like to thank parents, teachers, Raymond Police, and the Dispatch Center for their support.

Respectfully Submitted,
Sandra L. Ellis

RECREATION/SCHOOL LIAISON

This year I was appointed the Raymond School Board Recreation Liaison. Since the School District meetings extended so long, I could not take over my duties until summer. As I write this, I have only attended a few meetings.

As I took my seat as a Commissioner, the summer program was already rolling. Again, another great program for the children of Raymond. When fall appeared, the new schedule for recreation went out. Here again, many programs were offered for all age groups.

One of my greatest concerns is the space needed for all the programs offered. This is a very big problem for the Recreation Department.

Perhaps someday the Recreation Department could have a building of its own to offer and add new programs which is now impossible.

Sandra Lee Ellis
Raymond School Board Recreation Liaison

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

This year has been both rewarding and frustrating for the Raymond School Board. In the following report, I will outline a few positive accomplishments and a few frustrations of the Board.

SAU #33

The school district's successful petition of the State Board of Education to withdraw from SAU #15 and to form our own SAU #33, effective July 1, 1986, will provide focused educational leadership geared to the needs of our children for years to come. No longer will parents need to call an administrative office in Hooksett when they have a concern about their child that they can not resolve at the school building administrative level. The new SAU will be housed at Dr. Silver's professional building on Epping Street, easily accessible to the citizens of Raymond.

At this writing, the School Board is interviewing finalists for the position of Superintendent of Schools. The school district was fortunate to receive applications from an outstanding group of educators, many with long and varied educational experiences. From the original 25 applicants, we chose 9 candidates to interview, all of whom had the necessary experience to be our superintendent. After much discussion and evaluation, the Board narrowed the finalists to four, and we will soon make our final Selection. It is the School Boards intention to announce our nominee as soon as possible, and have him/her present at the School District Meeting on March 8th.

Building Site Purchase

The Building Committee, under the leadership of Roger Woodhead, worked long and hard in evaluating numerous sites for Raymond's future educational complex. The committee recommended the Lachut Property on Harriman Hill Road to the voters at the Special School District Meeting which was held on November 21st. The District authorized the purchase of the property, and at present, the School Board is finalizing the purchase of 60.5 acres of land. This site will serve the town for school building needs well into the 21st century.

Accreditation

Recently, the School Board learned that the State Department of Education in the name of the State Board of Education, has given "provisional" status to the Raymond Middle School for the second consecutive year. More alarming, however, is that the Raymond High School accreditation has dropped from "fully comprehensive" to "provisional". Under the new minimum standards for New Hampshire High Schools, the School District has until the fall of 1988 to correct the space and course-offering deficiencies, or our high school accreditation will automatically be reduced to "non-approved," a rating which will be financially catastrophic to the Raymond School District. Parents will then have the right, by state law, to determine what comprehensive high school their children will attend - at the Raymond School District's expense.

Although we have not yet been notified, our revised accreditation at the Lamprey River Elementary School will probably fall from a "Category I" to a "Category II" as a result of the need to divide the media center/library into two classrooms - a poor educational experience for the children, but a necessary decision for the School Board.

Building Committee

The Building Committee has been meeting weekly to assemble all information necessary to develop school building options to present at the public hearing on the bond issue. After reviewing the report of the Building Committee and the input and concerns of the public at the hearing, the School Board will present recommendations in the form of warrant articles at the March school district meeting. The School Board hopes the district will choose to fund one of the options in order that all schools may become reaccredited and our children will receive at least minimum-standard educational opportunities.

Educational Administration

This year, the School Board took a positive step forward in terms of our middle school students by electing Ms. Donna Borowick to the position of Middle School Principal, and Ms. Charlotte Mason as Middle School Coordinator. This administrative realignment gives the middle school its own administrative identity and allows staff, students, and parents a more direct line to authority and response. From every indication, the new administrative structure is working well, greatly benefiting the Raymond School District.

Also this year, the School Board elected Ms. Cheryl Stratchko to become the second SAU administrator, and to head the transition team during the change-over to the new SAU #33. Although the benefit may not be as visible to the citizens of Raymond as to the School Board, this administrative decision has been the most positive move for Raymond education of all the decisions I have been associated with in my seven years on the Board. I know I speak for the other four members of the Board in publicly thanking Ms. Stratchko's dedication and effort on behalf of the Raymond School District.

Educational Expectations

The School Board has identified a few academic areas where improvements are needed. In the areas of mathematics and science, we are neither challenging nor have high enough expectations of the students. Although the improvement will be gradual, you will soon see more demands of students and staff in these areas.

Students also do not have enough meaningful homework. Expect to see your children bringing home more challenging homework assignments in the near future. Students at all levels need better skills in order to compete in today's society.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the district staff for their support during a most trying year. There were many days I expected resignations from staff and School Board members. I believe the support of the staff and parents kept the Board unified this year in order to work for better educational opportunities for our children.

As I leave public office this year, I would like to publicly thank the nine present and former School Board members with whom I have had the pleasure to serve. Most of all, I must thank my wife and daughters for their support and understanding while I attended local meetings and State School Board activities three to five evenings a week for the last seven years.

I look forward to watching - from a distance - the progress of the Raymond School District towards improving the educational opportunities for all of the children in the district.

Respectfully,

Dr. Maurice Demeritt, Jr.
Chairman, Raymond School Board

RAYMOND STAFF DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

As we began another year, many new faces appeared at one table for the first meeting. We had a 3rd principal added to the committee. Now that the school has divided into a Middle and Senior High School, more study on the needs of both can be done by the principals. Many ideas for workshops were brought to us this year and again we were very successful.

Staff Development Sponsored Workshops:

1. Child Development
2. Environment Workshop
3. Focus on School Climate
4. Computers in the Schools
5. U.N.H. Writing Program
6. Holiday Ideas for the Classroom

As in the past, many of our own teachers put on the workshops. As I look over these one stands out in many ways - U.N.H. Writing Course. This was done by our own 4th grade elementary school teacher, Lin Lindquist. Many positive remarks have been made by all. Thank you Lin.

Many thanks to all who put their time into this group. I feel every year we have had a special committee. Without their hard work and time it wouldn't be successful. Also, a THANK YOU to all townspeople for your support.

Respectfully submitted
Sandra Lee Ellis
Chairperson

CONTINGENCY FUNDS STATUS

The Raymond School District, in accordance with RSA 1987:4-b, the Contingency Fund during the 1984-85 school year was not trans-

ferred to the Capital Reserve Fund due to unanticipated expenses and expenditures in the 1400 account for Vocational Education.

CURRICULUM COUNCIL REPORT 1984-1985

A major change occurred within the Curriculum this year with the addition of the Accountability Testing Program. The chairperson of the council is now responsible for coordinating all aspects of the testing that takes place in grades 4, 8, and 11 near the end of each school year. The subject areas tested include Language Arts, Reading, Math, and Social Studies, and results are made available to the Curriculum Council as well as parents. The bylaws of the Curriculum Council were amended to reflect this change.

The following is a list of curriculum matters that were discussed during the year:

1. At the elementary school level, the report card committee submitted a draft of a revised report card format. The curriculum council approved the changes and submission was made to the School Board for their approval.
2. Henry Dubois submitted for approval a change in the grading system at the Junior-Senior High School. His recommendations were that "65" be a passing grade rather than "60"; and that the "D"

grade rather than "60"; and that the "D-" category be deleted from the report cards. This was approved and recommended to begin in September 1985.

3. Gail Perkins, home economics teacher, described two new course offerings, Foreign Foods and Wardrobe Selection. The purpose in offering these courses was to stimulate and encourage more student involvement with Home Economics courses. These courses were approved for addition to the course offerings for the school year 1985-1986.

4. In April, Pat McGee and Steve Mazurkiewicz, guidance counselors at the high school, submitted reports on the College Board scores for Raymond high school students for the past five years. These scores compared favorably with the national average and attendance at post secondary schools compared favorably with the New Hampshire percentage.

The Curriculum Council is looking forward to next year and discussion of curriculum and the changes that may occur.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Watts
Curriculum Council Chairperson

**RAYMOND BUILDING COMMITTEE MEMBERS
1985-86 School Year**

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February 3, 1986

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ATT: Mr. Roger Woodhead
Chairman

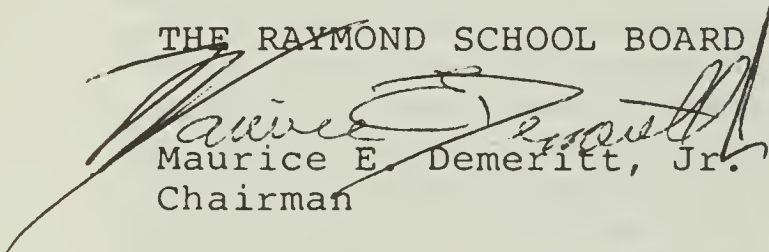
The School Board acknowledges receipt of the comprehensive report from the Building Committee, dated January 23, 1986. Each individual member of the Committee is to be sincerely congratulated and thanked for his and her dedication, long hours and the high quality of the work. Both the School Board and the citizens of Raymond are most appreciative of this great service to the educational needs of our community.

Since your report was issued, two significant events have occurred: the Bond Issue hearing was held on January 30, 1986, at which the citizens voiced overwhelming preference for building a high school and, additional minimum renovation requirements for the existing middle/senior school have come to light. With regards to the renovation requirements, we are now addressing two categories: alterations for the handicapped and life safety modifications and, secondly minimum general educational requirements such as refurbishing two science laboratories plus other repairs, equipment and supplies. these expenditures will meet current minimum standards. Consequently, the \$200,000 quoted in your report, which was correct at the time, should now be amended to read \$400,000. The total cost of a new high school should now be the \$6.25 million plus the new renovation figure of \$400,000 for a total of \$6.65 million, instead of \$6.45 million.

At the special School Board meeting, after the Bond Issue hearing on January 30, the SchoolBoard voted unanimously to follow the recommendations of both the citizens of Raymond and the Building Committee. A \$6.65 million Warrant Article will be placed on the 1986 School District Warrant for the March 8, meeting. The Article is for the construction of a 700 student high school and the two categories of renovations described above.

In the interest of keeping the citizens of Raymond fully informed, please attach a copy of this letter to your report as an addendum.

THE RAYMOND SCHOOL BOARD


Maurice E. Demeritt, Jr.
Chairman

REPORT TO THE SCHOOL BOARD AND TO THE CITIZENS OF RAYMOND January 23, 1986

Since March of 1984, the Raymond School Building Committee has met in open sessions to analyze almost weekly the problems of school overcrowding and accreditation, and to make recommendations to the School Board and the Town. Meeting notices were posted, the public was always invited and the minutes are public record. The committee believes it has a public duty to inform the Raymond voters of the facts and figures, and the pros and cons of the options so that an informed decision can be made by each voter at the March 8th meeting. Knowing that it is impossible for all the voters to review the minutes of the countless hours of deliberation, this report is presented in the interest of complete disclosure and summary.

History and Background

Prior to 1984 the Ongoing Needs Committee provided the analysis of educational needs and it was this committee's recommendation that a new school be built. Growth and overcrowding continued to occur, and the New Hampshire Department of Education indicated a reduction in accreditation rating. The citizens of Raymond requested the establishment of a Building Committee which the School Board initiated in March, 1984. The Building Committee has met almost weekly in open session since that date.

In 1985 the Building Committee, after much deliberation, recommended the purchase of land and the building of a new high school for \$6 million. This warrant article was placed on the March 9, 1985 ballot. The measure was defeated as were variations of the proposal on March 23rd and May 4th of that year.

At the May 4th meeting Raymond voters did recognize the pressing educational needs and approved an increased school budget of \$350,000 to temporarily alleviate the situation by either tuitioning students to other districts, installing portable classrooms or funding double sessions, and to increase educational programs. The Commissioner of Education and the State Board of Education strongly recommended portable classrooms. Leasing the portables was delayed when the New Hampshire Department of Revenue challenged the budget increase.

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The reasons why the warrant articles were defeated are: disagreement with the specific site selected, the uncertainty of the tax impact of the 1985 property re-evaluation, and voters felt they were not given the benefit of sufficient information to arrive at the same conclusions as the committee.

The Present Situation

The vote on the school issue is quite different this year over 1985 due to some major differences. Naturally many factors are the same and some are more critical. The following is a summary of the situation in 1986:

1. Property re-evaluation has been completed and taxes are known.
2. Raymond voters approved the expenditure of the additional state aid (Augenblick) funds to purchase the Lachut property as a school building site, as well as to fund special education and the new Raymond SAU #33 startup. Three positive benefits flow from this voters' decision: (1) the school building site is now owned by the town at no tax expense to the residents; (2) Raymond is eligible for 30% state aid when a school is built, and (3) since these Augenblick funds were used for education (a school building site, special education and SAU #33), maximum state aid funds will continue to be awarded.
3. Accreditation for both the middle school and high school have been lowered to "conditionally approved" according to Alan Rich, a consultant with the New Hampshire Department of Education. The reasons for conditional approval are "because facilities do not meet the needs of the instructional program in Science and Industrial Arts and, because more programs must be implemented in Language, Arts and Mathematics in 1986-1987 to meet state minimum standards." This is a current re-statement of the overcrowding and lack of available courses/programs outlined by Douglas H. Brown, consultant to the New Hampshire Department of Education, in his letter of 12/23/83. Raymond was given three years to phase in the new minimum requirements. For the same reasons, and the lack of a media center, the elementary school

accreditation will also be lowered. The possibility of the fire department having to issue unacceptable ratings in the near future because of overcrowding cannot be ruled out.

4. The New Hampshire Office of State Planning, aided by the Complex Systems Research Center at UNH, projects that Rockingham County is and will continue to be the fastest growing county through the year 2010. Portsmouth is expected to show a 45% population growth which will be dwarfed by Raymond's projected 65% expansion. The following is the annual projected census breakdown for Raymond by year:

1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010
Census						
5,453	6,700	7,400	8,500	9,600	10,370	10,960

Actually, in 1985 there were already 7,500 residents up from 6,677 in 1984 which is well above projections.

5. This phenomenal growth is even now in evidence. For example, in 1984, 111 new housing units were built and 224 building permits were issued in 1985. Of these, 185 housing units are now under construction and 39 have been built and occupied.

The recent bus tours sponsored by the Building Committee pointed out the many new developments and other construction as well as school overcrowding.

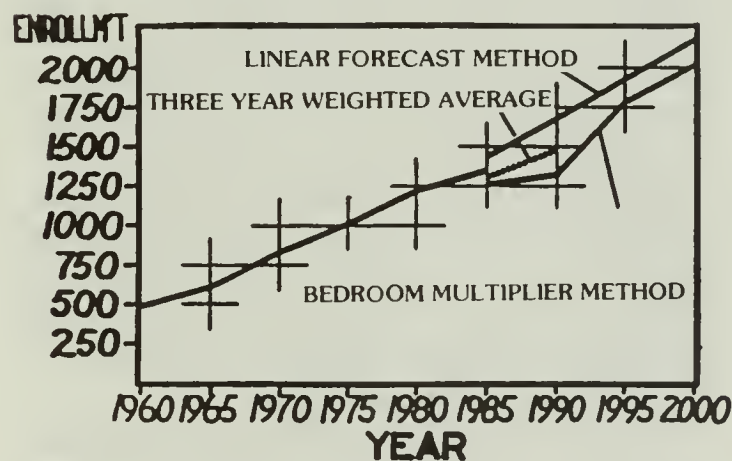
6. The tax base has grown approximately \$10 million over the \$160 million since Spring of 1985, based on the town's property re-assessment.
7. Enrollment at the elementary as well as the middle/senior high school has increased beyond capacity. About 50 students have been withdrawn from Raymond's Public Schools by concerned parents which alleviates the situation only slightly.

Enrollment figures at the close of the school year in June of 1985 show 594 students in the elementary school, rated for a maximum of 550 students, and 756 students in the middle/senior high school, rated for 688 students according to previous program standards.

In the interest of clarification it should be noted that overcrowding has two connotations: First, that students are actually physically crammed together in too a small space.

Secondly, that there are not enough classrooms in which to hold the additionally required courses. The physical inconvenience might be tolerated to a certain extent without endangering the school's accreditation. However, the space for classrooms in which to hold the minimum required courses is the main concern of the state. The following chart shows the results of three independent enrollment projections calculated in recent months by the New Hampshire Department of Education and outside consultants.

ENROLLMENT - History & Projections



8. Property in Raymond has appreciated over the last twelve months conservatively estimated at 1% per month or 12% per year. The same or greater rate is anticipated for the next year at least and, given the growth figures for Rockingham County in general and for Raymond in particular, appreciation could be even greater for some time to come. Even though appreciation profit is only realized when the property is sold, residents have the assurance that their land and improvements will return on their investment to offset taxes and other expenses.
9. Overall inflation has been held to under 5% on an annual basis which means that the cost of postponing a new school building is not as great as in the past relative to materials. Labor costs, however, are rising at a greater rate due to the increasing demand for construction workers from a labor pool which is already fully employed. The overall inflation rate is expected to be approximately the same as for 1985 except for construction labor which continues to rise.

10. The use of the elementary and the middle/senior high school facilities by the Raymond Community for after school civic, recreational and adult educational purposes continues to be very active according to Parks and Recreation Department Director, Richard Bates. During 1985 the middle/senior high school was used for 739 events and the Lamprey River Elementary School for 489 events. Additionally, Dennis LaBranche, president of the Raymond Youth Athletic Association, recently petitioned the selectmen for the construction of additional athletic funds.

Raymond Voter Educational Options

There are basically four options available to the voters of Raymond which are outlined below. The number of variations of these options is almost limitless and it would be impractical to list all or even most of them here. What is outlined are the four basic opinions which will enable the voters to understand the needs and solutions, as well as provide a basis for voter motions at the March meeting. The arguments for and against were gleaned from preliminary citizen reactions to these options and may or may not reflect the options of particular Committee members.

There are certain facts and information which apply to all the building options discussed below. These are:

1. Any new school would be constructed at the former Lachut property purchased by the voters of Raymond with Augenblick state aid funds last November. All building cost figures quoted do not therefore, include property acquisition costs.
2. No architectural drawing plans are provided to save the taxpayers these costs estimated at \$5,000 each.
3. For the sake of discussion each new school option presented is assumed to house four grades. For example, the elementary school could house grades 1 through 4; the middle school grades 5 through 8, and the high school, 9 through 12. Actually, a grade or two would be moved back or forth between facilities to alleviate congestion and to avoid building additional schools if possible.
4. The prices of the new schools discussed below are always "turn key". That means that the school is completely finished, fully equipped and ready for teachers and students: the library is stocked, computers

and typewriters are in place, labs and kitchens are equipped, athletic equipment and even chalk and erasers provided. On opening day there is almost nothing else to buy and all anticipated costs are included in the bond issue.

5. Should the voters approve building a school, they could reduce many items in the school budget which provide for temporary alleviation of the overcrowding and accreditation problems, provided they are not needed before a new school is ready.
6. Technically, any school facility can accept tuitioned students from other communities. Practically speaking, however communities provide lower grade facilities to keep young children near home and because these facilities cost much less. Therefore, a high school most frequently serves as a regional/co-operative venture and/or for tuition revenue.
7. The annual additional state aid (Augenblick) educational funds (\$350,000/year) can be used by the School District for any aspect of education: for operations or to reduce school bond indebtedness. No matter how the funds are used, Raymond taxpayers will benefit, but the application of these funds is the decision of the School District.
8. Whenever renovation costs are quoted in the options below, classrooms would be increased to meet minimum curriculum requirements, but the renovations will not increase capacity for grade enrollment.

Option 1: Postpone building any school this year.

Arguments for:

1. The property of Raymond was re-evaluated and the tax bills just arrived at the end of 1985. Some tax bills went up and some down. Not everyone was pleased and some may not be able to afford the new rates or additional taxes.
2. No immediate building costs would allow taxpayers to adjust to the recent property tax adjustments.
3. By not building now, the tax impact commitment would be deferred for a year thus permitting the tax base to broaden so the tax burden can be spread out.

Arguments against:

1. Re-evaluation of property and tax increases are inevitable whenever there is rapid growth and increased needs for community services and facilities. Nobody likes or wants them and really nobody can afford them. There is a positive side to growth for those who can participate in that growth and can adjust their budgets. There is potential for economic growth gains such as current conservatively estimated 12% or so appreciation of property, as well as the projected minimum of 12% or more increase per year in the foreseeable future. The dollar amount of property appreciation may not be realized until the property is sold, but is a real return on investment. The building of any school, but especially a high school according to realtors, would assure that this investment increases at a maximum annual rate.
2. The tax base is broadening every day. Raymond is the fastest growing town in Rockingham County. There are already 7,500 residents in the town and 335 housing units are under construction or completed since the Spring of 1985. Why wait and incur higher costs?
3. Short term measures to temporarily alleviate the situation are not only a waste of money, but are harmful to students and the community. For example, to lease ten portable classrooms, (six for the high school and four more for the elementary school) would cost \$199,728 per year on a three year lease contract for a total cost to Raymond of \$599,184. These figures do not include operating costs plus septic systems expansion costs as needed. The other option is to tuition out the 9th and 10th grades. The annual cost according to SAU #15 is \$664,914 for tuition, transportation and related costs. In either case, Raymond will still have to build in the near future at inflated costs and possibly at higher bond interest rates.
4. The tax impact of building now will not be as great as many fear due to the following:
 - a. Additional state aid (Augenblick) funds to Raymond are expected to be approximately \$350,000 per year which will help defray educational expenses.
 - b. Since the school building site is owned Raymond is eligible to receive 30% state aid funds on the principle over the life of the bond issue.
 - c. As already mentioned, Raymond is the fastest growing town in the county and the tax base is broadening rapidly. The tax rate is the product of the budget divided by the tax base thus spreading the burden, plus commercial property is taxed at a higher rate.
 - d. Bond interest rates continue to decline. All calculations for last year were based on 10%. The projections for this year are 8% and could be lower. Overall inflation will probably be held to about 5% this year, except for labor which is rising disproportionately due to heavy demand for construction.
 - e. Should a high school be voted for by the electorate, tuition revenue for students from surrounding communities could be realized. Additionally, a high school, is the best option for revenue or cost sharing in terms of a regional or cooperative venture.
 - f. Other real but less predictable economic factors are the fact that Raymond, by its geographical location, available space, proximity to major highways, labor force and resources, will become a shopping, commercial and industrial center as well as residential community. Since this growth is occurring inevitably, Raymond should control the quality of growth by planning, assuming local leadership and providing the climate, services and facilities which will attract higher income residents, clean industry and commercial businesses. The school system, and especially a high school, realtors claim, is one of the major factors in the family decision to locate in this town over another. Presently, upper income families reported to be buying in surrounding communities, even though they may prefer Raymond, because of the present conditions in the school system.
 - g. Many feel there are other factors best summed up by the middle/senior high school motto: "Pride-Purpose-Progress." These may seem like non-economic factors but they eventually translate into economic benefits as well as the continually upgrading of the community and leadership in the surrounding region.

5. Educational consequences of not building now are: the inability to meet minimum state educational requirements to improve the curriculum and quality of education for Raymond students; loss of accreditation in 1988-89; the costs of tuitioning and bussing students to other school districts, no separation of younger or older students; continued teacher morale problems and turnover with the added costs of recruitment, and the potential for teaching staff downgrading plus the forfeiture of educational continuity.

Option 2: Build an elementary school to house grades 5 through 8 with a maximum capacity of 600 students to meet minimum educational standards, with a capacity life-span to 1990, at a cost of \$3.58 million plus \$960,000 to renovate the high school for a total of \$4.54 million.

Arguments for:

1. This is the least expensive of the building options because the specifications are for an elementary school (small scale, no expensive labs, kitchens, full scale gym, etc.)
2. It would temporarily relieve the overcrowding, permit required programs, return the media center and save the accreditation of the elementary school until 1990.
3. Would permit the pre-school handicapped program to be housed in the present Lamprey River Elementary School.
4. Permits separation of younger and older students.
5. Gives the community another facility, even though for limited use.
6. Improves teacher morale at the elementary and middle schools.

Arguments against:

1. The renovation costs of nearly a million dollars (\$960,000) would renovate the high school facility to meet current state minimum requirements for curriculum only and save the accreditation. The renovation would increase classrooms, but would not increase capacity for enrollment.
2. Does not solve the rapidly increasing enrollment problem in the upper grades.
3. Would require the construction of another new elementary school in 3 to 5 years since, unlike the upper grades, there are effective administrative limits to the number of

grammar school students that can be housed in a facility.

4. The middle school education concept and programs which are now in place could be lost.
5. Does not provide the flexibility of moving grades between facilities to alleviate overcrowding since lower grades can be moved up to schools built on higher standards and to larger scale, but upper grades cannot be moved down.
6. Community use of the small scale facility and small gym would be quite limited.
7. Teacher morale and turnover could still be a problem at the junior/senior high school.
8. There would be no possibility of a regional or cooperative cost sharing venture, and tuition revenue from outside students is unlikely.
9. Would do little to enhance the community and attract upper income residents, business or industry.

Option 3:

Build a middle school to house grades 4 through 8 with maximum capacity of 700 students to meet minimum educational standards with a capacity lifespan to 1993, at a cost of \$5.17 million plus \$960,000 to renovate the high school for a total cost of \$6.13 million.

Arguments for:

1. Building to higher educational specification would provide flexibility of grade movement and would therefore relieve overcrowding at all levels. Since the media center would be restored at the elementary school, accreditation at all levels would be preserved provided growth did not occur too quickly until 1993.
2. There would be less tax impact for the short term than a more costly option.
3. Older students are separated from the younger.
4. This would be a better facility for community use.
5. Teacher morale and turnover improvement at all levels would occur.
6. The middle school concept and programs would be preserved.

Arguments against:

1. This facility meets only present minimum standards and will reach capacity in seven years on possibly less. Should enrollment rapidly increase or educational standards be raised, which is anticipated, the facility will not be adequate. A new school facility will then have to be built since expansion capabilities are limited, thus costing the taxpayers more in the long run.
2. Since the price of a high school is not that much greater than a middle school, the following arguments were made:
 - a. There would be no regional or cooperative opportunities with little or no tuition revenue from outside students.
The regional/co-op opportunities could mean significant savings to Raymond over the years if it could be arranged.
 - b. The difference in tax impact between the cost of this facility and the more expensive high school option is well under a dollar per thousand. The cost of building a whole new school facility in 5 to 7 years at inflated costs, interest rates, etc. would more than double the tax burden.
 - c. There would be less enhancement of the community to attract a broader and higher paying tax base as there would be with a high school.
 - d. See also arguments for high school.

Option 4:

Build a high school to house grades 9 through 12 with a maximum startup capacity of 700 students with an expandable core to meet present minimum standards with a capacity lifespan to year 2000 and beyond for a total cost of \$6.45 million. This figure includes an estimated \$200,000 to renovate the present middle/senior high school.

Arguments for:

1. Probably, the least expensive option for Raymond on a short and long range basis, and the best return on investment is a high school. It would cost taxpayers much less than it first appears because the annual 30% state aid will be applied directly to the bond repayment. Annual state aid (Augenblick) funds of approximately \$350,000 will offset

education expenses. Savings would also be realized from the present lower interest rates and from paying in today's dollars rather than future inflated dollars and higher labor and material costs, or the cost of tuition/bussing out one or two grades.

2. This facility is expandable around a core of common facilities (library, cafeteria, labs, administrative offices, etc.) which would not have to be built again. As with other options and when possible, adding some classrooms as required is much less expensive than building and equipping a whole new school. This would relieve overcrowding inexpensively by moving students up when required past year 2000. For example, the 8th grade could be moved to the high school.
3. Meets present minimum educational standards, relieves overcrowding and saves accreditation at all levels today and, because of expandability, would meet future increased educational requirements as well.
4. A high school could easily become a regional or cooperative venture and could begin receiving tuition revenue from outside students the day the doors would open, thus reducing educational operating costs for Raymond.
5. The community would receive maximum use from a high school facility even though there are no immediate plans to build athletic fields at the site. However, the Raymond Youth Athletic Association has recently requested additional athletic playing fields. Should this request be granted, the town could build at the high school thus fulfill two needs for the price of one without having to acquire additional land.
6. Raymond would have full control of its schools and students would not have to be tuitioned/bussed to other communities. Older and younger students would be separated. The expanded and improved educational programs would not only benefit students, but would return better educated and qualified graduates to the community.
7. There would be no disruption of school while construction is under way, except for some required renovations at the current facility.

8. Teacher morale would be maximized at all levels and highly qualified teachers could be attracted plus expensive turnover would be minimized.
9. Many think a high school better fulfills the motto of "Pride-Purpose-Progress" and would benefit Raymond as an economic as well as an educational investment. A high school would attract a broader and higher residential, commercial and industrial tax base, increased jobs, higher and faster property appreciation, as well as foster community pride, prestige and regional leadership.

Arguments against:

1. This option appears to be the most expensive and some feel could potentially cost the taxpayers more in taxes.
2. This would move the high school from its traditional location.
3. There would be no athletic fields (only practice fields) so the students would have to be transported to the present high school for games.
4. At least some improvements or alterations would have to be made on the present middle/senior high school.

Conclusion:

This concludes the report of the School Building Committee to the School Board and to the citizens of Raymond. It is a summary of more than two years of intense study, interviews, research, analysis and evaluation. We sincerely hope it will be helpful. Every attempt to be complete and accurate was made while being as brief as possible. The committee has tried to remain objective and only present the facts. Third party experts and citizen reactions have been used for the arguments instead of the persuasions or opinions of Building Committee members. No specific recommendations will be made by the Committee before the bond hearing on January 30, 1986, to allow voters to arrive at an unbiased decision. This report in no way tries to emphasize, persuade or sell any particular option. This is the ultimate decision of the voters. All residents of Raymond are urged to register to vote, to attend the January 30th bond hearing and to vote on March 8, 1986.

The Building Committee wishes to express its thanks to the many citizens of Raymond who have given of their time, expertise and opinions. A summary of this report was widely distributed but each resident is encouraged to study this complete document which is available at the Town Offices, all schools, and from School Board/Building Committee members. It will also be distributed at public hearings and meetings.

The work of the Committee was difficult and took long hours. A special note of thanks therefore, goes to the patient and understanding members of their families. It has been an honor and a privilege to serve the Town of Raymond which is poised on the threshold of great opportunities. We count ourselves very fortunate to be a part of this destiny in the making.

Sincerely yours,

Roger Woodhead, Chairman
Raymond Building Committee

**REPORT TO THE SCHOOL BOARD
AND CITIZENS OF RAYMOND
January 23,1986**

SUMMARY - RAYMOND BUILDING COMMITTEE

History and Background

When the Ongoing Needs Committee of the Raymond School Board recommended that a new school be built to relieve overcrowding and to fulfill state educational requirements, the citizens requested that a Building Committee be appointed. This was done in March of 1984 and, after much deliberation, proposed a bond issue for \$6 million to buy a site and build a high school. The voters defeated the bond issue in March and April, 1985 because of disagreement with site selection, uncertainty of new property tax impact, and insufficient background information provided to voters. A school budget increase of \$350,000. was approved to temporarily alleviate the problems, but the budget increase process was challenged by the New Hampshire Department of Revenue, thus delaying the installation of portable classrooms.

Present Situation

The State Department of Education has rated Raymond High School as conditionally approved for 1985-86 due to classroom space and educational program deficiencies. The factors this year are: 1. Raymond owns the building site. 2. Property taxes are known. 3. Accreditation will be lost if space and programs are not provided. 4. State Planning and UNH show Raymond has a 63% growth rate, but actual residents are well above those projections. 5. New home construction: 111 new units in 1984; 224 building permits issued in 1985 (185 now under construction with 39 built and occupied) 6. The tax base grew \$10 million over the \$160 million since the spring of 1985. 7. Enrollment is over capacity: Elementary school had 594 students, rated for 550; middle/senior school had 756 students, rated for 688, not including 50 students removed by concerned parents. (Overcrowding, for accreditation purposes, means insufficient classrooms for required courses/programs, even more than physical overcrowding) 8. Property in Raymond has appreciated in value a minimum of 12% last year and projected to increase the same or more. 9. Overall inflation rate around 5% last year and will be about the same in 1986 except for construction labor which is rising faster due

to high demand and full employment. 10. Community use of both school facilities for after-hours activities is strong: 1985 - middle/senior - 759 events; elementary school - 489 events. Raymond Youth Athletic Association petitioned selectmen for additional athletic fields.)

Raymond Voter Educational Options

There are four basic options with many variations open for motions by voters at the March 8th meeting. All facts and figures were obtained from experts/outside sources. Opinions and arguments were gathered from Raymond citizens and may or may not be those of the Building Committee or it's members.

Common Factors pertaining to all building options are: 1. Any new school will be built on newly purchased (Lachut) property. 2. No architectural plans/drawings are provided to save \$5,000 each. 3. For simplicity/clarity here it is assumed each school would house four grades (elementary: 1 - 4; middle: 5 - 8; high school: 9 - 12. Actually, classes would be moved up or down when possible to alleviate overcrowding. 4. The price of each new school is "turn-key" (includes building and contents - stocked library, labs, computers, typewriters, athletic equipment to chalk and erasers). 5. Items in the school budget for temporary relief of problems could be removed provided they are not needed until a school opens. 6. Most towns provide close-to-home schools for young students so a high school is the usual option for a regional/co-op venture and for tuition revenue. 7. The annual additional state aid (Augenblick) funds (\$350,000/year) can go toward educational operations or to reduce bond indebtedness but this is the decision of the School District. 8. Renovation costs quoted below would meet present minimum educational requirements for space/programs but would not add capacity for greater enrollment.

Option 1: Postpone building any school this year.

Arguments for: 1. Property tax bills just arrived and many increased substantially. 2. Allows taxpayers to adjust to new taxes. 3. Permits tax base to grow and spread the burden.

Arguments against: 1. Tax increases are inevitable during growth and no one can afford them or wants them. Past, present and future property appreciation offsets tax and other expenses. Better schools mean more appreciation which is "money in the bank" and realized when property is sold. 2. Tax base has already grown by \$10 million and continues. Why wait? 3. Temporary measures are a waste of money (ten portable classrooms cost \$599,184 on a three year lease and there could be septic expansion costs). 4. Tax impact is not as great as some fear: a. Augenblick funds will defray some educational expenses. b. Will receive 30% state aid funds on the principle over the life of the bond issue. c. Raymond is the fastest growing town in the county. Tax base is growing rapidly so any tax increase would be small. d. Bond interest rates are down and may go lower. e. A high school gives the opportunity for a regional/co-op venture plus tuition revenue. f. Raymond can better control the quality of growth and regional leadership by a better school system and thus attract higher income residents plus business and industry. g. Many feel the motto "Pride-Purpose-Progress" translates into economic factors. 5. Educational consequences of not building now: cannot meet minimum standard and may lose accreditation; the cost of tuitioning/bussing students out; no separation of younger/older students; continued teacher morale problems and expensive turnover with potential downgrading of teaching staff.

Option 2: Build an elementary school to house grades 5 through 8 with a maximum capacity of 600 students to meet minimum educational standards, with a capacity lifespan to 1990, at a cost of \$3.58 million plus \$960,000 to renovate the high school for a total of \$4.54 million.

Arguments for: 1. Less expensive because elementary school specifications are less, small scale, no expensive labs, gyms, kitchens, computers, etc. required. 2. Temporarily relieves overcrowding and saves accreditation. 3. Could house pre-school handicapped program at Lamprey. 4. Separates younger and older students. 5. Gives community another

facility even though of limited use. 6. Improves teacher morale somewhat.

Arguments against: 1. Still requires \$960,000 to renovate middle/senior school to meet minimum requirements for present enrollment. 2. Does not solve increasing enrollment problem for upper grades. 3. Would have to build another elementary school in 3 to 5 years. 4. Could lose middle school program. 5. Cannot move grades between facilities since lower can move up, but upper grades cannot move down. 6. Small desks and facilities severely limit community use. 7. Teacher morale could still be a problem at the high school. 8. No possibility of a regional/co-op venture and tuition revenue unlikely.

Option 3: Build a middle school to house grades 4 through 8 with maximum capacity of 700 students to meet minimum educational standards with a capacity lifespan to 1993, at a cost of \$5.17 million plus \$960,000 to renovate the high school for a total cost of \$6.13 million.

Arguments for: 1. Building to higher specifications makes it possible to move grades between facilities to relieve overcrowding at all levels and save accreditation. 2. Somewhat less tax impact presently. 3. Older and younger students separated. 4. Better facility for community use. 5. Teacher morale/turnover improved at all levels. 6. Middle school program saved.

Arguments against: 1. Meets present minimum standards with the same problems arising in 5 to 7 year due to increased enrollment/educational requirements. 2. Since the price of a high school is not that much more, consider: this option offers no regional/co-op opportunities or tuition revenue most probably; the cost difference is less than a dollar/thousand in taxes; would not attract higher paying tax base as would a high school; see other arguments under Option 4.

Option 4: Build a high school to house grades 9 through 12 with a maximum startup capacity of 700 students with an expandable core to meet present minimum standards with a capacity lifespan to year 2000 and beyond for a total cost of \$6.45 million. This figure includes approximately \$200,000 to renovate the present middle/senior school.

Arguments for: 1. Probably the least expensive option for Raymond on a short and long range basis, and the best return on investment, is a high school. It would cost taxpayers less than anticipated because, as with all options, the 30% state aid would be provided for the life of the bond and the Augenblick funds would help with educational expenses, plus would take advantage of lower interest rates and paying in today's rather than future inflated dollars (higher material and labor costs). The cost of tuitioning/bussing one or two grades would also be avoided. Would not have to build another school in the foreseeable future. 2. Relieves overcrowding today and in the future by moving students upward and/or adding classrooms around the core. 3. Meets present and foreseeable educational requirements thus saving accreditation past year 2000. 4. Could become a regional/co-op venture for great savings to the town and/or bring tuition income. 5. Community would receive maximum use of a high school. (No athletic fields are planned, but the town could add them later to fulfill the request of the Raymond Youth Athletic Association without further land acquisition and fill two needs for the price of one.) 6. Raymond would have full control of it's schools with no tuitioning/bussing. 7. Older and younger students would be separated. 8. Would give students and

community high quality education. 9. As with other option, there would be little disruption of school during construction. 10. Teacher morale and turnover would improve at all levels and would attract high quality teachers. 11. Better fulfills high school motto "Pride-Purpose-Progress" and thus attracts a broader and higher residential, commercial and industrial tax base. Contributes to Raymond's regional leadership.

Arguments against: 1. This appears to be the most expensive option and some feel it could result in higher taxes. 2. Would move the high school from its traditional location. 3. No athletic fields means students must be transported to present middle/senior school for games. 4. At least some improvements must be made to present middle/senior school.

No specific recommendations will be made by the Building Committee before the bond hearing on January 30, 1986, to allow voters to arrive at unbiased decisions. This report in no way tries to emphasize, persuade or sell any particular option. This is the decision of the voters. Please obtain and study a copy of the full report.

Respectfully submitted
Roger Woodhead, Chairperson

**SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT NO. 15
SALARIES
FISCAL YEAR 1984 - 1985**

Superintendent of Schools' Salary break-
down by district share for the 1984-85 fiscal year.

DISTRICT	PERCENTAGE	AMOUNT
Auburn	17.29%	\$ 7,163.77
Candia	14.68%	6,082.36
Hooksett	35.00%	14,501.55
Raymond	33.03%	13,685.32
		\$41,433.00

Assistant Superintendent of Schools' salary
breakdown by district share for the 1984-85
fiscal year.

DISTRICT	PERCENTAGE	AMOUNT
Auburn	17.29%	\$ 4,849.67
Candia	14.68%	4,117.59
Hooksett	35.00%	9,817.15
Raymond	33.03%	9,264.59
		\$28,049.00

Assistant Superintendent of Schools' salary
breakdown by district share for the 1984-85
fiscal year.

DISTRICT	PERCENTAGE	AMOUNT
Auburn	17.29%	\$ 5,187.00
Candia	14.68%	4,404.00
Hooksett	35.00%	10,500.00
Raymond	33.03%	9,909.00
		\$30,000.00

**STATISTICAL REPORT
1984 - 1985**

Grades	1-5	6-8	9-12	1-12
Half Days in Session	360	360	360	360
Unrepeated State Registration	594	318	438	1350
Percentage of Attendance	95.1	93.9	90.7	93.4
Average Daily Absence	28.2	19.0	37.7	84.9
Average Daily Membership	569.9	312.1	406.6	1288.6

RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTIONS

March 12, 1985

The Raymond School District Elections were called to order in the Raymond Consolidated School Gymnasium by the Moderator, Frank G. Case.

The Reverend Calvin Warburton offered the prayer. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all present.

BALLOT CLERKS:

Assunta Ege	Delmar Anderson
Sandra Ellis	Margaret Case
Marion Lovejoy	Pauline Gordon
Joan King	Elizabeth Robinson

The ballot boxes were opened and declared empty.

The moderator read the School District Warrant at 10:00 a.m.

The polls were declared open by the moderator at 10:04 a.m.

The polls were declared closed by the moderator at 7:00 p.m.

The Official Ballot for the Raymond School District Elections was yellow.

School Board Member for three (3) years: (2)

*Ronald C. Chapman	392 votes
*Elizabeth M. O'Donnell	319 votes
Hughin D. Holt	169 votes
Josiah Gordon	3 votes
James Demeritt	2 votes
Matthew Case	2 votes
Paul Simone	2 votes
Victor Beaudoin	1 vote
Polly Immanen	1 vote
Mrs. Daniel Brei	1 vote
Regina Gordon	1 vote
Linda Richard	1 vote
Linda Derzanski	1 vote

School Board Member for one (1) year: (1)

*Maurice E. Demeritt, Jr.	434 votes
James Demeritt	5 votes
Paul Simone	2 votes
Hughin Holt	2 votes
Matthew Case	1 vote
Timothy Louis	1 vote
Nancy Bliss	1 vote
Richard Loiselle	1 vote
Linda Richard	1 vote
Ralph Stead	1 vote

Jeff Smith	1 vote
Elizabeth O'Donnell	1 vote
Richard Lewis	1 vote
Edward Fahey	1 vote
Lyman Hammond, Jr.	1 vote

School District Treasurer for one (1) year: (1)

*Mildred R. Guptill	446 votes
Pauline Gordon	2 votes

School District Clerk for one (1) year: (1)

*Linda J. Hoelzel	458 votes
Leslie Hoelzel	1 vote
Dennis LaBranche	1 vote
Peg Case	1 vote
Donna Margaritas	1 vote

School District Moderator for one (1) year: (1)

*J. Chandler Newton	449 votes
Frank Case	18 votes
Edward Thompson	2 votes
Alberta Shepard	1 vote
Roland Kimball	1 vote

Total Ballots:	1,500
Total Ballots Cast:	518
Total Ballots Uncast:	982

A motion was made and duly seconded to adjourn the School District Elections.

Voted by those present by voice - Aye or Nay.

Voted in the AFFIRMATIVE.

The meeting was adjourned.

Linda Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

A true copy of the minutes of the Raymond School District Election.

Attest:

Linda Hoelzel
Raymond School District Clerk

1984 - 1985
PRINCIPAL'S REPORT
Henry F. DuBois, Principal

The 1984-85 school year has been a unique educational experience for everyone connected with our school. We opened the year with forty percent of the staff (myself included) being new to the district. My sincere thank you to Ms. Donna Borowick for all of her efforts in getting school operating in September.

The problems facing the middle-senior high school, as described in previous town reports, came to a head during the first few months of the year. The overcrowding in all areas resulted in a neutral academic atmosphere and as a result we experienced more than our share of difficulties. The proposed construction of a three-room classroom addition moved ahead slowly during the first semester. The rooms became available in January and at long last we were able to move some classes to more suitable quarters and return the gym to the physical education classes. Needless to say, the teachers assigned to gym study hall applauded the transition.

The need for more space took another step forward when the building committee began meeting each week to develop the details for a new school bond proposal. We met throughout the year to consider all possible solutions to the crowded conditions within the district. The final decision was to propose a bond issue for a new high school facility.

With the proposal for a new school came a new esprit de corp. Now, all of the staff had a common bond, a focal point that would help us see beyond the present and into the future, a future that included better programming and better opportunities for all of our students. As the principal, I was thrilled with the positive morale that began to surface. At last, students and teachers were talking about academics in a manner that could only lead to program improvements. Any principal would enjoy this situation.

The continued emphasis on academics led to a number of program reviews and as a result we were able to expand a few offerings in computer education and to make better use of our computer instructors time by introducing an introductory computer course in the middle school. This type of expansion followed the direction set forth in an earlier three-year growth plan for this discipline.

The Gifted & Talented program, in conjunction with the local drama society, produced "Our Town" during the first semester. While practice schedules had to be worked around our space problems the play was very well received and played to a full house each of the three evenings. The spirit of cooperation and the desire to achieve excellence clearly attests to the fact that Raymond as a school and as a community was moving forward with vigor and enthusiasm.

The fall athletic program got off to a quick start with a strong showing in soccer, cross country and girls volleyball. The varsity soccer team capped a most successful season by receiving a playoff berth. We didn't win the divisional title but we did send out a message to our competitors that, indeed, Raymond High School Soccer had come of age.

During the winter months our attention was drawn to boys varsity basketball. Despite a few key players being sidelined earlier in the campaign the boys forged onward toward our most successful season. The boys missed a playoff bit by fractions of a point but the patterns for future success had been formed. In short, the basketball program had turned the corner.

Our spring sports program followed earlier models and once again our students competed well and accomplished a great deal. The track team recorded a number of personal bests and our girls softball team maintained a tournament bound record only to be edged from a playoff position in the last week of the season. The girls were disappointed but they had the satisfaction of knowing that they had met the challenge and emerged victorious.

In all, high school athletics appear to be steadily moving upward both in terms of sportsmanship and ability to compete equally. I am pleased to see this growth and I commend the fine work of our coaches and the dedication of our athletes. I hope that we will be able to sustain this momentum throughout the years to come.

Another group that has gone through a pronounced change is our Student Council. It has been my desire to involve these leadership people in the daily workings of their school. I have seen a great deal of growth in several

council members and I commend the entire group and the advisors for a job well done. I would like to highlight just a few of their accomplishments. During the year our council conducted the following activities:

- A. donated Thanksgiving baskets to those in need
- B. raised funds for scholarships
- C. acted as ushers at school functions
- D. volunteered time to work at the Blood Drive
- E. attended state and local leadership meetings
- F. organized school assemblies
- G. assisted with the distribution of bond issue materials

Needless to say, I am very proud of this group and pleased with the success they have experienced this year.

Throughout the year a number of school groups organized fund raising activities in order to finance class trips and out-of-school activities. As we have done in the past, our younger children visited Nature's Classroom where they experienced a real life, hands-on approach to environmental issues and marine science. The eighth grade Washington, D.C. trip never became a reality but we were able to replace Washington with a visit to Old Sturbridge Vil-

lage for a living history lesson. Both of these trips were well received by the students and I wish to thank Mr. Maloney and all of the middle school staff for their efforts toward making these activities meaningful. I would also like to thank all of the parents who assisted the teachers by acting as chaperones for these trips.

The highlight of the year, as far as class trips are concerned, was the senior class trip to Florida during the April break. After a great deal of preparation and organization the group departed for Epcot. I feel that a trip of this magnitude could only have happened through the unified efforts of both the students and the class advisors. I commend everyone who had a part in making this event a success.

The school within a school programming of our middle school had a difficult beginning but managed to rise above a great many spacial problems. As you probably realize, the middle school has simply grown out of its allotted space and so the ability to enrich the program via more skills time, more study groups and more counseling just wasn't possible. Next year, with some adjustments to our schedule and with a few more specialists we should be able to build on our present base and upgrade the quality of the middle school program.

In closing, I would like to thank all of the residents, the students, the staff members, the school board and my administrative colleagues for making this a most memorable year.

LAMPREY RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NURSES'S REPORT

School Nurses's roles greatly vary. In order to be kept aware of new medical practices and improve my knowledge of old duties, I am attending workshops throughout the year.

I have been instrumental in organizing speakers such as Doctor Eugene Larriviere, talking with parents and students concerning puberty. Jean Ellison, former guidance counselor at Lamprey Elementary, spoke with school staff and parents, to promote awareness of prevention of sexual abuse. This was funded by the Raymond Parent-Teachers Organization. This program has also been presented to the students by our counselor, Sheila Breen.

Presently, I am serving with the health curriculum to help establish guidelines for what should be taught to our students. I am constantly, seeking ways to help establish guidelines for what should be taught to our students. I am constantly seeking ways to help educate students in all aspects of health and hygiene.

Throat cultures done at school, have been helpful in determining students who are contagious as well as those who do not have to be excluded from school for merely sore throat.

Child Check for ages 3-6 years has already been completed through the Lamprey River Elementary School specialists. The duties of the

school nurse were to check hearing and impedance.

Scoliosis screenings for fifth grade boys and girls have been completed. Parents have been notified about those students who should be checked by a physician.

Students in readiness and first grade have been checked this year for vision, hearing, impedance, height and weight. Parents have been notified of the students who should be checked by a doctor.

All students entering school must present their immunizations before starting. This not only guarantees that new students are fully immunized, but also ensures that students already enrolled are protected against others entering with a preventable childhood illness.

My purpose as a school nurse is to maximize each child's potential to learn and grow by providing the best possible health care. This is done through health counseling, preventive health care, environmental health, school and community health programs, and emergency health services.

Respectfully submitted,

Charlyne A. Allard, R.N.
School Nurse

RAYMOND MIDDLE-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL School Nurse's Report

This year has been somewhat different from previous years. Due to Mrs. Appleton's extended leave of absence the nurse's office was staffed, for the most part, by a substitute nurse.

It was a very busy year! The approximate number of students treated was in excess of 600, this number does not include first aid rendered to faculty members as well.

This treatment consisted of mostly minor first aid rendered to several major traumas, some of which required suturing and more elaborate medical treatment by a physician.

The usual routine examinations were done. These included throat cultures, heights, weights and vision and hearing screening. Notification to parents was sent in the event that a student failed to pass a particular screening, and parents advised to check with their respective physicians.

Sports physical exams were done for over 100 students. The examination included a blood pressure check and a height and weight check by the nurse; also a short physical examination was done by the school physician.

Other day to day duties of the nurse's office were handled as the need arose.

Every effort was made to assure the students and faculty of professional and competent health care on a consistent basis.

Respectfully submitted,

Doris Krikorian
School Nurse

LAMPREY RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

A mom registering her child for the upcoming year expressed concerns about our school which she had read in the paper and heard around town. A staff member listened patiently for a bit and replied, "We have a real good school - look around, what do you see?"

Children learning in a quiet and orderly environment, displays of student work throughout the building, a science fair in the fifth grade, students working at computers, and a first grader bursting with pride because she climbed the big rope in the gym.

Lamprey River Elementary consistently achieves a Category 1B rating - the highest approval category awarded to elementary schools without a kindergarten. This approval by the New Hampshire State Department of Education is not easily attained. We must apply each year and meet 100 percent of the standards. How does this compare with other schools? The majority (239) of elementary schools statewide do not meet these standards.

The basics - reading, writing, and arithmetic - are stressed at Lamprey River Elementary. Children need to develop a solid foundation in these skills to successfully meet the challenges each new year brings. And, they do. Fourth graders consistently demonstrate mastery of math, language arts, and social studies skills measured by our competency tests. Students in grades 2, 3, and 5 achieve at or above the national average on the Stanford Achievement Tests. And, LRES was again chosen to participate in the New Hampshire Education Festival which recognizes and celebrates the best in public education in our state.

Children want to write. And given the opportunity, they respond enthusiastically. Writing, the middle "R" is taught using the process developed by Don Graves at the University of New Hampshire. Students are starting to think of themselves as authors while teachers are impressed with the effort and involvement.

Your children wrote and submitted over 375 books for the Young Authors Contest. While many of these were outstanding, I feel best about the many children who ask with pride, "Will you read my book?"

Computers are used in all LRES classrooms for a variety of purposes. Readiness students use prepared programs to develop basic skills,

while fourth and fifth graders use a word processing program to write stories and produce the *Bullfrog*, our student newspaper. This year computer education was extended beyond the classroom, thanks to the initiative and leadership of a fifth grade student, James Gregoire. He suggested and organized a Computer Club with a bit of help from his friends. Diana Dawes, Enrichment Program Director, provided support, and Mike and Dave Hoelzel generously shared their time and expertise to work with elementary students.

Student life at Lamprey River Elementary is not all centered around books and computers. We offer your children cocurricular programs that include soccer, basketball, and softball. For those more musically inclined, there is chorus and band. Third graders gave up some of their recesses to join the recorder group. The more adventurous took part in Dungeons and Dragons. Academically talented students demonstrated imagination and productivity in our Enrichment Program, through individual and small group projects, producing a puppet show for primary youngsters, and publishing the *Bullfrog*.

Thanks to our P-TO, all students enjoyed a series of special programs including a hands-on experience with reptiles in *The World of Snakes*, storytelling, folk and choral singing, art, rhythms, and theater. This performing arts series enriches student life through personal contact with professional performances and quality programs.

Adults also took advantage of a variety of offerings at Lamprey River Elementary School. Doctor Eugene Larivierre's popular program on *Puberty - A Time of Change* was again well attended. Many parents choose to have their children's fingerprints taken by P-TO volunteers. Programs on *Child Development* and *Prevention of Child Abuse* were timely and well received. School staff provided an inside and humorous look at services that support and enrich student life. Our musical performances included the Christmas concert, a combined elementary and high school concert, a spring band and chorus concert, and the all-school concert, held at the high school gymnasium. It was an adventure to present this last concert and I appreciated the encouragement and patience shown by many of you.

These activities are simply not possible without the generous donation of time and skills provided by volunteers. Well over a thousand hours were given to help work with students, assist teachers, and accomplish many of the activities I have described. Every student at Lamprey River has benefited one way or another from their efforts. Thank you very much.

In closing, I want to extend a personal thank you to Mrs. Sandra Ellis who directed the P-TO for the past two years. Her ideas, enthusiasm, and commitment to the children of Raymond have resulted in substantial accomplishments, ranging from our playground to Santa's Store. In many ways she represents the spirit that makes Lamprey River a very good school.

Respectfully submitted,

Roderick D. Crepeau
Principal

SCHOOL LUNCH REPORT 1984 - 1985

The year 1984-85 may be the crossroads for school lunch programs - we may find a shifting from a "nutrition" program to a "food service" program only.

We, as food service workers, teachers, and parents, cannot allow this to happen. Nutrition awareness is in! Diet and its relation to disease is evident. We must continue our efforts to educate Congress and the public of the full benefits of school food service programs.

Our lunch programs survived the budget cuts of 1980-81 on the federal level, but many of our nation's children suffered nutritionally, and are still unable to afford the price necessary to enjoy school lunch on a daily basis. We are now in another "battle of the budget and the national deficit." It is clear that the present administration will continue its efforts to attack Section IV funding. The term "Section IV funding" relates to Section IV of the National School Lunch Act. This section of the law authorizes basic funding for lunches served to ALL students. It is the federal reimbursement to local school districts without regard to the income of the student participating in the program. To lose these funds means depriving many children nationwide of the opportunity to participate in the school lunch program. Thus, our challenge for survival means much more than just a loss of funding - it means that the entire philosophy of the school lunch program is at stake.

Eating for health has come a long way from the 1960s natural food proponents to a concerned citizenry in the 1980s. A recent issue of a leading magazine states - "Whatever the motivation, the new awareness of what food can do to improve - or jeopardize - good health has precipitated nothing less than a revolution in

American eating habits; a sweeping transformation of old patterns that has penetrated every corner of the United States, making its mark in the nation's supermarkets, restaurants, both fast and elegant; schools, and family kitchens."

We cannot afford to lose school lunches' established reputation as a nutrition program for ALL students. The National Evaluation of School Nutrition Programs, a study that took place in June 1979 to March 1983, shows participation in school nutrition programs improves the nutrient intake of school children. It is clearly shown that one of the primary goals of the National School Lunch Act is being fulfilled - to safeguard the health and well-being of the nation's children by providing them with nutritious foods. We here at Raymond are here to serve the students attractive and nutritious meals in an atmosphere of efficiency, cleanliness, and friendliness.

Many of the school lunch staff are now certified at different levels in the NH School Food Service Association. All attend staff development workshops as well as state and local workshops, and are becoming professional school food service workers. We are very proud of their efforts - all staff members care about the children they see and serve daily. We have a great staff, and I believe we will continue to offer a full nutrition program to ALL children.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Marangelli
Food Service Director
Raymond School District

RAYMOND COOPERATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE REPORT

During the 1985-86 school year the Raymond Cooperative Study Committee comprising Arthur Devlin, Malcolm Clifford, and myself, met on several occasions to discuss the

met on several occasions to discuss the possibility of forming a Cooperative venture, specifically that of a high school.

The following surrounding school districts were contacted to determine their interest in participating in this venture: Auburn, Candia, Chester, Deerfield, Epping, Fremont, Northwood, and Nottingham. Many, if not all of these districts, were currently going through (1) a long range planning phase and/or (2) studying growth rates which are resulting in overcrowdedness at the elementary school. Most districts concluded their top priority as to building projects would now be the expansion of elementary school facilities.

Many districts expressed an opinion related to the need to study their high school situation, but have postponed this concern to a future date.

Superintendent David Cawley, who currently supervises the multi-district SAU 15, has had the opportunity of being involved in facility studies with the contiguous districts of Allentown, Bedford, Derry, and Epping, and he has also found those communities to be predominantly concerned with evaluating and planning for growth at their elementary school level.

At this juncture the Cooperative Study Committee will still be in place and study any future possibilities that may surface.

Kathleen Hoelzel, Chairperson
RAYMOND COOPERATIVE STUDY

ENRICHMENT PROGRAM 1985-86

With the rush of school opening and the holidays behind us, there is now time to reflect on the progress of this year's Raymond School District's Enrichment Program.

A new sense of direction and coordination at each level has created exciting programs that are on the move, growing with the needs of the students and ourselves.

Lamprey River Elementary School

This year, at the elementary school level, the Raymond Enrichment Activities Program (REAP), scheduled on Tuesday and Thursday, is under the direction of Daniel Page.

Continuing the theme of Journalism Through the Grades, the first issue of the school newspaper, *The Bullfrog*, was published in December. All students have the opportunity to participate as writers or artists with the Grade 5 REAP students as staff. These students are in charge of design, editing, production and circulation of *The Bullfrog*.

Puppets and castles and popcorn have appeared in various corners of the REAP room as third, fourth and fifth grade projects. Castles will be on display throughout January. A marionette show, created and written by third graders, is scheduled for performance in early February. A popcorn franchise, a business venture of fifth graders, is in its early stages of planning. Students will write the financial

proposal, run the business, keep records, etc. to raise money for various projects.

In addition to these programs this year's program has expanded to include grade 1 and 2 students who have demonstrated exceptional academic strengths and need additional challenge.

In January, Mr. Page will be bringing enrichment activities into various classrooms, beginning with a photography unit. REAP educational and creative materials have been loaned to teachers who have used them to extend their own curricula.

The Computer Club, coordinated by the REAP program, got off the ground in early October, under the direction of David Hoelzel, a volunteer mentor, who had donated countless hours for the second year in a row.

A new concept of a mentor program was initiated this year, using upper grade students and community people as instructors or guides. For instance, three high school students have worked with Grade 3 and 5 students for special science and informational public speaking experiences. This program will be expanded across the grades as the students and their needs are matched. Faculty and administrative support and involvement has made this exciting, innovative program flexible and successful.

Over 50 students are in the pullout portion of the REAP program. Overall, more than 200 students, through materials or class projects, have benefited from the enrichment program to date.

Middle School

Working out of the middle school shop room (our new permanent - temporary quarters), the middle school enrichment programs, under the direction of Diana Dawes, provided opportunity for all students to participate, replacing the former pullout program.

Approximately 50 students are working on a middle school magazine, *Not Necessarily The Newspaper* scheduled for a late January publication. This is the first independent middle school publication in several years.

Working with Mrs. Ellen Small, a special photography unit for Grade 7 science students was coordinated through the Enrichment Program, using the darkroom equipment and assisted by high school students who are learning photography through the independent study program.

Beginning this month, under the direction of the Enrichment Program, Ardell Welch will be coordinating a special arts program for all three grade levels. Faculty and administration will work together with Ms. Welch and community people to give students an opportunity to expand their creative abilities through all academic subjects and a special drama project. A Community Arts-Theater Night is scheduled for March with exhibits of student work and theater presentations.

Several independent explorations have been set up and plans are underway for identifying middle school students who may serve as mentors in various subject areas.

A box of enrichment materials is used during several skills classes. This resource material offers challenging experiences based on Bloom's Taxonomy, Renzulli's model and Gregorc's identification of learning styles.

Continuing a long-standing tradition of inviting wizards and dragons to enrichment, the Dungeons and Dragons and Games Club challenges the imagination of middle school students again this year after school.

Beginning this year, middle school students have the opportunity to continue their computer training through an after school training club. This was organized and coordinated by a 6th grader, James Gregoire,

and the computer facilitator, Shawn McDonough.

Through these new programs this year it is estimated that at this level the Enrichment Program's philosophy of learning will reach every middle school student in Raymond.

High School

At the high school level this year Raymond participated in the Channel 11 Granite State Challenge, an academic super bowl televised weekly. Team members were chosen teacher recommendations and playoff trials for the final selection of four team members and two alternates. Fifteen students from Grades 10-12 were audience and all traveled to UNH campus to tape the competition in October. Students were cheered on not only by their peers, but also Middle School Principal Donna Borowick and English Teacher Mary Fosher as well as four alumna of 1985.

Although not winners, the experience was a new way of expanding Raymond's image through an academic team competition.

The first issue of the Raymond Voice was published in October, with five more issues planned throughout the year. Students raise 95 percent of publication costs through advertising or fundraising events. Two student financial agents have secured year-long contracts from many business advertisers to support publication costs. Again, this year *The Voice* is mailed to every Raymond household.

There are five students who are receiving credit for independent studies in journalism and one for photography. For the third year in a row, the graduating editors have been accepted to colleges to pursue education in the communication fields.

The annual press luncheon is again scheduled for April, a major event of the newspaper staff which brings together other students from schools across southern New Hampshire. Approximately 25-35 students at various levels have been involved with the publication.

As school liaison, the Enrichment Program works with the Raymond Arts Associates to promote and support cooperative community and school creative and performing arts projects. This year the group will be sponsoring a scholarship program for two graduating seniors.

Many high school students have been involved in the growing mentor program, sharing their skills and teaching at various grade

levels including science, photography, writing, art, public speaking and newspaper production and drama.

Beginning with the third quarter, a half year course in German will be offered to juniors and seniors in the program for credit. The course, taught by Mr. John LeBow will offer German culture, language and history.

Overall, approximately 25 percent of the student body are involved in the variety of projects of the high school enrichment program.

At all levels the success of these programs have depended upon administrative and faculty support and flexibility. This cooperative effort has allowed creativity and individual learning initiative to grow and expand the learning opportunities in Raymond's schools and to give our most important product, the student, the place to explore his/her own uniqueness.

Diana Dawes, Enrichment Director
Daniel Page, REAP Facilitator

RAYMOND HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES 1985

Victoria Azotea	Anthony Lang
Colleen Bartlett	Jeffrey Lang
Sandra Berry	Kevin Lang
Marybeth Bonnell	Ted Langford
Shane Boudreau	Maria Letourneau
Julie Brown	Donna Lessard
Michael Brown	Laurance Lovejoy
Lisa Butters	Lori Martel
Robert Carlberg	Michael Mataragas
Stephen Carney	Ricky McFarland
Kim Carter	*Mark Moales
Matthew Case	Shawn Moreau
Kenneth Clifford	Ronald Nowe, Jr.
*Nancy Cole	Kathy Noyes
*Robert Cordeau	Sherri Nunziato
Debra Croteau	Wayne Pease
Devin Delnicki	Russell Perron
Colleen Demyanovich	Tina Peterson
Kenneth Dye	Debra Picott
Bernice Eaton	Michael Plante
Richard Fitts	Leasa Porter
Daniel Glidden	*Dawnalee Prior
Cheryl Gould	John Richard
William Grace	Randall Richard
*Heather Gray	Leanne Robinson
Erin Greene	Edward Ryan
Annastasia Greer	Patrick St. John
Anderson Griffin	Mary Smith
Joseph Harmon	Barbara Starace
Michael Hoelzel	BobbiAnn Sutton
Robert Hoelzel	Christopher Swanson
Lisa Holmes	Harry Walker
Arthur Jenks	Susan Wentworth
*Kellie Jewett	Sherrylee Westgate
Pamela Klaxton	Joseph Wilcott
Korn Kong	David Williams
	Janine Wylie

*National Honor Society Members

RAYMOND MIDDLE-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL STAFF
1985-1986

Name	Subject	College	Degree	Yrs. Exp.
Appleton, Sandra	Nurse	Beverly Hosp. School of Nursing	RN	11
Asante, Nancy	English	Beaver College	BA	1
Bolduc, Norma	Business	Lasell Jr. College & River	AA/BA	19
Borowick, Donna	Principal-Middle	Keene State College	BS	11
Brett, William	Industrial Arts	Fitchburg State College	BS	6
Callas, Rosanne	Math	U. of Pittsburg/Marywood Col.	BA/MA	1
Carmody, David	Spec. Ed.	Merrimack Col./Fitchburg State	BA., M., Ed.	8
Connor, Patricia	Reading	Marycrest College	BA/MA	1
Costello, John	Psychometrist	Northeastern University	MA	1
Dawes, Diana	Gifted & Talented	UNH	AA/BA	5
DuBois, Henry	Principal	St. Anselm's Col./Bradley U.	BA/MA	18
Emden, Christine	Resource Room	River Col./So. CT State Col.	BS	1
Fosher, Mary	English	Notre Dame College	BA	6
Frisch, Sandra	Science/LOA	Notre Dame College	BA	11
Gangi, Louis	Social Studies	New England College	BA	1
Garnett, William	Coordinator	UNH	BA	17
George, Christopher	Social Studies	Dickinson Col./UNH	BA/MA	10
Gould, Shirley	Science	Keene State College	BA	27
Hudson, Beth	English	Univ. of No. Colorado	BA (2)	4
Keating, Barbara	Spec. Ed. Facilitator	Dean Jr. Col./So. Conn. State	AS, BS	7
Lavorgna, Stephen	Physical Ed.	Keene State College	BS	1
LeBow, John	Social Studies	Cortland College	BA	1
Lister, Joycelyn	Speech	Memorial U. of Newfoundland	BA, MA	7
Lyons, Mary-Ann	Math	Salem State	BA	1
MacLean, Kathleen	Music	Boston Conservatory of Music	BM (Ed.)	3
Mason, Charlotte	Middle School Curr.	No. Shore Community/UNH/ Salem State	AS, BS	16
Mazurkiewicz, Stephen	Counseling	Brooklyn College	MS	16
McDonough, Shawn	Computer	St. Anselm's College	BA	3
McGee, Patricia	Counseling	Bryant Col./Boston Univ.	BS, M. Ed.	14
Merrow, Joyce	Home Economics	U. of Mass. - Amherst	BS	15
Moore, Andrew	Assistant Principal	Plymouth State/UNH	BA, MA	1
Morrill, Ann	Home Economics	UNH	BA/MA	1
Mueller, Marion	Spec. Ed.	River College	BA	1
Nardone, Patricia	Social Studies	Boston College	BA	1
Neller, Michelle	Reading	UNH/NE Col./Westfield State	BA	3
Peeverill, Amos	English	Wheaton College	BA	1
Potvin, Barbara	Spec. Ed.	Notre Dame	BA	1
Putnam, Donald	Biology	Springfield Col./UNH	BA	10
Richardson, Renee	Spec. Ed.	Keene State College	BS	5
Ried, Ann	Science	Bridgewater State	BA	1
Sargent, Elizabeth	Media Specialist	Macalester Col./Boston State	MA	1
Scheollkopf, Mary	Math	U. of Houston/State U. of NY	MA	1
Schroeder, Gregory	Science	Grinnell College	BA	1
Senstad, Ann	Physical Ed.	Bowie State	BA	1
Skoby, Stephen	Psychologist	Northeastern U./U. of Detroit	MA	1
Small, Ellen	Science	UNH	BS	1
Smith, Michael	Art	Framingham State	BA	1
Soulios, Kathy	Spanish	Notre Dame College	BA	9
Stillman, Kenneth	Math	Purdue U./U. of Colorado	BS, MA	2

Stuart, Alan	Industrial Arts	Keene State College	BS (Ed.)	8
Stuart, Valerie	English (LOA)	Keene State College	BS	5½
Thomas, Sally	Grade 6	Lesley College	BA, MS	3½
Trimble, Julie	Spec. Ed.	Providence College	BA	1
Usher, Bruce	History	U. of Vermont/Merrimack	BS	10
Williams, Wayne	English	UNH/Plymouth State	MA	1
Woodard, Donna	MS	Plymouth State	BA	6
Worth, Wendy-Sue	Math	Plymouth State	BA	1
Zylak, Joann	Business	Plymouth State/Hesser Col.	BS	2½

RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT
1985-1986
Lamprey River Elementary School Staff

Name	Grade	College	Degree	Yrs. Exp.
Allard, Charlyne	Nurse	Sacred Heart Hospital	BA Nursing	11½
Bodge, Gail	3	Notre Dame College	BA	2
Bogan, Rosemary	3	Univ. of Mass./Salem State/ Notre Dame	BA	1
Brighton, Sr. Ruth Ann	Preschool	Mt. Saint Vincent Unit/ Boston Col./U. of Conn.	BA, MA	1
Butters, Susan	5	Univ. of Maine	BS	9
Champagne, Marlene	1	River College	BA, Elem. Ed.	7
Crepeau, Roderick	Principal	UNH	M., Ed.	12
Finch, Doris	LD Specialist	American International/ St. Joseph Col.	BS	1
Fox, Shelley	3	Leslie College/U. of Minnesota	BS	3
Fulton, John	Physical Ed.	UNH	BS	6
Gingras, Mary	5	Notre Dame College	M, Ed.	12
LaBranche, C. Lynn	5	UNH	BA	3
Lassins, Susan	4	UNH	BA, History	14
Latham, Nancy	1	Our Lady of Elms	BA	1
Leclerc, Betty-Ann	2	Plymouth State College	BA, Elem. Ed	10
Lichtenstein, Anne	1	U. of Maine/U. of So. Maine	BA	1
Lindquist, Marilyn	4	Notre Dame College	BA, Elem. Ed.	6
McDonald, Mary	3	UNH	BA, Elem. Ed.	14
McLaughlin, Ann	Readiness	St. Anselm's College	BA	16
Mesmer, Carolee	5	UNH	M, Ed.	11
Montplaisir, Philomena	1	Notre Dame College	BA	2
Morin, Kathleen	2	Plymouth State College	BS	9
Muller, Mary	Art	Plymouth State College	BA	1
Page, Daniel	Enrichment	Northeastern Univ. Gordon College	BA	1
Proulx, A. Robin		UNH	MAT, Ed.	9
Randazzo, Elizabeth	Occup. Ther.	UNH	BA	2
Ried, Ann	Science	Bridgewater State	BA	1
Richard, Julie	2	Plymouth State	BS	1
Russell, Geraldine	4	Univ. of MA	BS, Elem. Ed.	8
Selden, Kathleen	Readiness	Keene State College	BA	2
Shapiro, Evelyn	Spec. Ed.	Univ. of Ohio	BS, Ed.	11
Sarbaugh, Kelley	Spec. Ed.	Gordon College	BA	1
Synder, Illa	Speech	UNH	BS, Comm. Dis.	10
Stewart, L. Kathleen	2	Nathaniel Hawthorne College	BA	14
Tucker, Nancy	2	UNH	BS, Early Child	12
Watts, Barbara	Asst. Prin.	Univ. of CT	M, Ed.	15
Wingard, Alan	Music	Carnegie Mellon U./U. of CT	BFA	21
Wood, Deborah	Chapter I	Rhode Island College	BS	3½

RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT ENROLLMENT CHART

Grade	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Preschool	9	7	32	45	13
Special Ed.	11	11	10	11	14
1	118	97	105	123	144
2	97	99	98	90	106
3	76	92	103	97	90
4	115	79	101	109	96
5	126	109	85	101	110
6					
1-5/6 Total	552	494	534	576	573
Special Ed.		39	46	13	
6	115	122	118	82	96
7	104	118	120	113	99
8	99	107	124	98	97
5-8 Total	318	386	408	306	292
Special Ed.		63	63	8	
9	121	117	127	150	120
10	98	105	101	102	100
11	73	70	97	93	91
12	81	65	79	74	69
9-12 Total	373	420	467	427	380
5-12 Total	691	806	875	733	672
Grand Total	1243	1300	1409	1309	1245

RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT SALARY GUIDE 1985-86

STEP	BA	BA+15	BA+30	MA	MA+15	MA+30
1.	12,211.	12,602.	12,991.	13,442.	13,711.	14,102.
2.	12,691.	13,082.	13,471.	13,922.	14,251.	14,582.
3.	13,171.	13,562.	13,951.	14,402.	14,731.	15,062.
4.	13,651.	14,042.	14,431.	14,882.	15,211.	15,542.
5.	14,131.	14,522.	14,911.	15,362.	15,691.	16,022.
6.	14,611.	15,002.	15,391.	15,842.	16,171.	16,502.
7.	15,091.	15,482.	15,871.	16,322.	16,651.	16,982.
8.	15,571.	15,962.	16,351.	16,802.	17,131.	17,462.
9.	16,051.	16,442.	16,831.	17,282.	17,611.	17,942.
10.	16,531.	16,922.	17,311.	17,762.	18,091.	18,422.
11.	17,011.	17,402.	17,791.	18,242.	18,571.	18,902.
12.	17,491.	17,882.	18,271.	18,722.	19,051.	19,382.

An additional \$480. stipend will be paid to any teacher who otherwise would be entitled to only a \$670. increase during the 1985 - 1986 school year.

Method of Compensation - 1/26th of the annual salary shall be paid every other Friday until the last contract day. A final check equal to the unpaid amount shall be paid at this time. When a teacher leaves or enters the district during the school year, the salary due him/her will be prorated based upon the number of contract days versus the number of days in his/her contract.

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ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON FINANCIAL PRESENTATION

To the Members of the School Board
Raymond School District
Raymond, New Hampshire

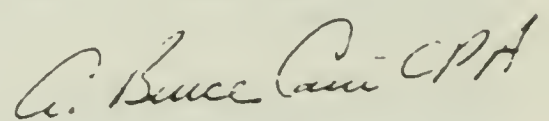
We have examined the combined financial statements and the combining fund and account group financial statements of the Raymond School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 1985, as listed in the accompanying table of contents. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

As described in Note 1B, the combined financial statements referred to above do not include financial statements of the General Fixed Asset Group of Accounts, which should be included to conform with generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, except that omission of the General Fixed Asset Group of Accounts results in an incomplete presentation as explained in the above paragraph, the combined financial statements and the combining fund and account group financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of the Raymond School District at June 30, 1985 and the results of its operations for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Our examination was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the combined financial statements taken as a whole. The combining fund and account group financial statements and supplemental schedules listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the combined financial statements of the Raymond School District. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the examination of the combined financial statements and, in our opinion, is stated fairly in all material respects in relation to the combined financial statements taken as a whole.

October 18, 1985


CARRI - PLODZIK - SANDERSON

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
for the
Fiscal Year July 1, 1984 to June 30, 1985

**GENERAL FUND
SUMMARY**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1984 (Treasurer's bank balance)		38,784.86
Received from Selectmen:		
	2,787,663.00	
Deficit Appropriation	120,812.00	
Revenue from State Sources	248,371.43	
Revenue from Federal Sources	59,462.02	
Received from Tuitions	210,118.92	
Received from Capital Reserve Funds	10,485.00	
Received from all Other Sources	119,720.12	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		3,556,632.49
TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR FISCAL YEAR (Balance and Receipts)		3,595,417.35
LESS SCHOOL BOARD ORDERS PAID		3,543,963.86
BALANCE ON HAND JUNE 30, 1985 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		51,453.49

August 6, 1985 Mildred L. Guptill
District Treasurer

**GENERAL FUND
DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS**

Date	From Whom	Description	Amount
July 1984	Town of Raymond	Appropriation	2,787,663.00
to June 1985		Deficit	120,812.00
	State of New Hampshire	Building Aid	36,268.86
	State of New Hampshire	Sweepstakes	21,753.84
	State of New Hampshire	Driver Ed.	3,000.00
	State of New Hampshire	Handicap Aid	4,525.29
	State of New Hampshire	Handicap Aid	106,744.95
	State of New Hampshire	Voc. Transportation	13,855.37
	State of New Hampshire	Foundation Aid	62,223.12
	State of New Hampshire	Block Grant	11,000.00
	SAU #15	94-142	23,999.81
	SAU #15	89-313	3,949.84
	SAU #15	Chapter 1	20,512.37
	Auburn School District	Tuition	10,917.00
	Chester School District	Tuition	3,267.28
	Deerfield School District	Tuition	72,561.91
	Hooksett School District	Tuition	3,929.00
	Fremont School District	Tuition	2,557.00
	Candia School District	Tuition	87,463.61
	Nottingham School District	Tuition	22,825.12
	City of Manchester	Tuition	4,374.00
	Ann McLaughlin	Tuition	2,224.00

Trustee of Trust Funds	Art. 4, Dist. Meeting	10,485.00
Exeter Banking Co.	Interest	9,138.50
Bxeter Banking Co.	Bank Charge	(4.82)
Cancelled Checks	Previous Year's	206.80
	#1622 & 1899	
Town of Raymond	Reimb. Gas & Inc.	10,053.74
Town of Raymond	Rec. Dept. rent	278.64
BOR Fund	Transfer	9,997.26
Raymond High School	Summer School	5,085.00
Raymond High School	Book Fees	253.30
Lamprey River Elem.	Book fees	57.80
School Lunch Program	Reimb. Sal. FICA	67,926.71
D. Appleton	Refund Health Ins.	10,053.74
Town of Raymond	Rec. Dept. rent	278.64
BOR Fund	Transfer	9,997.26
Raymond High School	Summer School	5,085.00
Raymond High School	Book fees	253.30
Lamprey River Elementary	Book fees	57.80
School Lunch Program	Reimb. Sal. FICA	67,926.71
D. Appleton	Refund Health Ins.	70.92
Scott Foresman	Refund Health Ins.	13.69
Empire Sheet Metal	Refund Health Ins.	150.00
Amoskeag Bank & Trust	Refund Unemployment	8,430.00
M. Lindquist	Refund W/Shop	10.00
S. Butters	Refund W/Shop	10.00
W. McDonald	Refund W/Shop	10.00
Comex Inc.	Refund	11.61
State of New Hampshire	Refund retirement	4.28
Bernard Mason	Refund conference	65.00
Exeter Banking	Service Charge	(10.00)
Deerfield School Dist.	Adj. Voc. Ed.	1,072.80
Nottingham School Dist.	Adj. Voc. Ed.	643.68
Raymond High School	Driver Ed-Students	4,785.00
Auburn School Dist.	Handicap Transportation	363.34
City of Manchester	Handicap Transportation	1,021.87
Epping School District	Sale of Equip.	75.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS DURING YEAR	3,556,632.49
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REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
for the
Fiscal Year July 1, 1984 to June 30, 1985

**RAYMOND HOT LUNCH PROGRAM
SUMMARY**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1984 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		64,827.25
Revenue from State Sources	4,466.77	
Revenue from Federal Sources	65,479.00	
Received from all Other Sources	136,809.84	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		206,755.61
TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR FISCAL YEAR (Balance and Receipts)		271,582.86
LESS SCHOOL BOARD ORDERS PAID		209,759.07
BALANCE ON HAND JUNE 30, 1985 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		61,823.79

August 8, 1985

Mildred R. Guphill
District Treasurer

**DETAILED STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS
RAYMOND HOT LUNCH PROGRAM**

Date	From Whom	Description	Amount
July 1984	Raymond School District	Transfer	1,000.00
to June 1985	State of New Hampshire	State Money	4,466.77
	State of New Hampshire	June	4,318.00
	State of New Hampshire	May reimbursement	8,903.00
	State of New Hampshire	September	6,720.00
	State of New Hampshire	October	8,467.00
	State of New Hampshire	November	6,302.00
	State of New Hampshire	December	5,182.00
	State of New Hampshire	January	8,227.00
	State of New Hampshire	February	5,328.00
	State of New Hampshire	March	7,251.00
	State of New Hampshire	April	4,781.00
	School Lunch Sales		130,234.06
	Indian Head Nat. Bank	Interest	5,575.78

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
for the
Fiscal Year July 1, 1984 to June 30, 1985

CONSERVATION, HERITAGE, ETC.
SUMMARY

Cash on Hand July 1, 1984 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		298.81
Revenue from Federal Sources	9,283.78	
Received from all Other Sources	414.67	
TOTAL RECEIPTS		9,698.45
TOTAL AMOUNT OF AVAILABLE FOR FISCAL YEAR (Balance and Receipts)		9,997.26
LESS SCHOOL BOARD ORDERS PAID		9,997.26
BALANCE ON HAND JUNE 30, 1985 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		None

August 6, 1985

Mildred R. Guptill
District Treasurer

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS
CONSERVATION, HERITAGE, ETC.

July 1984	State of New Hampshire	Reimbursement	9,283.78
to June 1985	Exeter Banking Co.	Interest	414.67
TOTAL RECEIPTS DURING YEAR			9,698.45

**RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT
SALARIES 1985-86**

RAYMOND HIGH SCHOOL

DuBois, Henry, Principal	\$32,247	Lyons, Mary-Ann	15,091
Moore, Andrew, Asst. Principal	21,500	Mason, Charlotte L.	22,449
Bolduc, Norma	18,362	Mazurkiewicz, Stephen A.	20,928
Brett, William P.	16,922	McDonough, Shawn P.	13,171
Callas, Roseanne B.	13,442	Morrill, Ann	16,322
Dawes, Diana	8,425	Nardone, Patricia	13,651
Emden, Christine J.	14,042	Peverill, Amos	12,211
Fosher, Mary J.	15,391	Reid, Ann S.	17,491
Frisch, Sandra A. (LOA)	17,491	Sargent, Elizabeth A.	20,565
Garnett, William	22,885	Senstad, Ann C.	15,091
George, Christopher	17,611	Skoby, Stephen	17,282
Gould, Shirley	17,971	Stuart, Alan C.	15,571
Keating, Barbara	18,000	Stuart, Valerie G. (LOA)	14,611
LeBow, John	12,991	Trimble, Julie	12,211
Lister, Joycelyn G.	15,912	Williams, Wayne A.	14,882
		Zylak, JoAnn N.	13,651

**RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT
SALARIES 1985-86**

Lamprey River Elementary School

Crepeau, Roderick, Principal	\$29,000	Lindquist, Marilyn B.	15,391
Watts, Barbara, Asst. Principal	22,585	McDonald, Mary F.	18,362
Bodge, Gail A.	12,691	McLaughlin, Ann M.	18,751
Bogan, Rosemary	15,571	Mesmer, Carol-Lee	17,791
Brighton, Sr. Ruth Anne	17,942	Montplaisir, Philomena	12,691
Brunelli, Holly	14,651	Morin, Kathleen M.	16,051
Butters, Susan S.	16,531	Muller, Mary M.	13,171
Champagne, Marlene A.	16,322	Page, Daniel A.	6,193
Croteau, Cynthia	15,571	Proulx, Robin A.	17,282
Finch, Doris	16,802	Randazzo, Elizabeth D.	14,131
Fox, Shelley	12,211	Russell, Geraldine E.	15,571
Fulton, John	14,611	Sarbaugh, Kelly	12,211
Gingras, Mary	18,722	Seldon, Kathleen	12,691
LaBranche, Carol	13,651	Shapiro, Evelyn S.	17,311
Lassins, Susan R.	18,362	Snyder, Ila J.	17,402
Latham, Nancy	13,651	Stewart, L. Kathleen	18,362
Leclerc, Betty-Ann	16,922	Tucker, Nancy A.	17,882
Lichtenstein, Anne M.	12,691	Wingard, Alan D.	18,722
		Wood, Deborah	13,651

**RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT
SALARIES 1985-86**

RAYMOND MIDDLE SCHOOL

Borowick, Donna M., Principal	\$27,000	Potvin, Barbara J.	12,211
Asante, Nancy	14,611	Putnam, Donald R.	17,791
Carmody, David C.	16,802	Richardson, G. Rene	14,131
Conner, Patricia	17,282	Schoellkopf, Mary	16,802
Costello, John	10,066	Sirois, Elaine	17,971
Gangi, Louis	18,271	Small, Ellen	16,531
Hudson, Beth S.	13,651	Smith, Karen P.	14,131
Lavorgna, Stephen	12,691	Smith, Michael G.	12,211
MacLean, Kathleen R.	13,562	Soulios, Kathy	4,557
McGee, Patricia L.	21,648	Stillman, Kenneth H.	14,582
Merrow, M. Joyce	17,971	Thomas, Sally A.	14,882
Mueller, Marion	12,211	Usher, Bruce R.	16,051
Neller, Michelle T.	12,691	Woodard, Donna L.	15,571
		Worth, Wendy-Sue	12,211

RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT
State of New Hampshire
SCHOOL WARRANT FOR ELECTION OF OFFICERS

To the inhabitants of the School District, in the Town of Raymond, New Hampshire, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Raymond High School in said District, on the eleventh day of March 1986, at Ten O'Clock in the morning, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for a 1 year term.
2. To choose a Clerk for a 1 year term.
3. To choose a Treasurer for a 1 year term.
4. To choose two School Board Members for a 3 year term.

The polls will remain open from Ten O'Clock in the morning until Seven O'Clock in the evening and as much longer thereafter as the voters of the School District, at the beginning of the meeting, may vote.

Given under our hands and seal this 20th day of February 1986.

SCHOOL BOARD OF RAYMOND,
NEW HAMPSHIRE
Maurice E. Demeritt, Jr., Chairman
Ronald Chapman
Sandra L. Ellis
Kathleen M. Hoelzel
Elizabeth O'Donnell

**RAYMOND SCHOOL DISTRICT
WARRANT
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, IN THE TOWN OF RAYMOND, NEW HAMPSHIRE, QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN DISTRICT AFFAIRS:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Community Gymnasium in said District, on the eighth day of March, 1986, at three-thirty p.m. in the afternoon to act upon the following articles:

1. To see if the District will appropriate Six Million Six Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$6,650,000.00) or any other sum for construction of a new high school and for reconstruction, alteration and/or enlargement of the existing junior senior high school building, and for purchasing equipment and furnishings of a lasting character in connection therewith; to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or to take any action relative thereto. (Recommended by the Budget Committee)

2. To hear the report of auditors and pass any vote relating thereto.

3. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to apply for, accept and expend, without further action by the School District Meeting, money from the State, Federal or other government unit or a private source which becomes available during the 1986-87 school fiscal year provided that such expenditures not require the expenditure of other School District funds. Further, that the School Board hold a public hearing prior to accepting and spending such money.

4. To choose one Raymond voter to serve as a member of the Raymond School District Staff Development Committee for a term of one year.

5. To choose one Raymond voter to serve as a member of the Raymond School District Staff Development Committee for a term of two years.

6. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate Ten Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$10,000) as a contingency fund, to meet the

cost of unanticipated expenses, all in accordance with RSA 198:4-b. Further, that any surplus in this account at the close of the fiscal year be transferred to the Capital Reserve Fund for renovation of existing buildings and the construction of additional school buildings, and for the cost of such renovations and construction. (Recommended by the Budget Committee)

7. To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Twenty Nine Thousand, Five Hundred Ten Dollars (\$129,510.00) to fund the cost items related to an increase in teachers' salaries and benefits attributable to the latest Collective Bargaining Agreement entered into by the School Board and the Raymond Teachers Organization for the fiscal year 1986-87, such sum of money representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those obligations payable under the second year of the Collective Bargaining Agreement. (This is the third year of a three-year contract.) (Recommended by the Budget Committee)

8. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries and benefits for school district officials and agents other than benefit and salary increases to teachers; and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District.

To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS AND
SEAL THIS DAY OF , 1986.

SCHOOL BOARD OF
RAYMOND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Maurice E. Demeritt, Jr., Chairperson
Ronald Chapman
Sandra L. Ellis
Kathleen M. Hoelzel
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**BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF RAYMOND, N.H.**

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	Approved Budget 1985-86	School Board's Budget 1986-87	Budget Committee Recommended 1986-87	Budget Committee - NOT Recommended 1986-87
INSTRUCTION				
Regular Programs	1,670,028.00	2,573,355.00	1,773,355.00	800,000.00
Special Programs	529,442.00	601,951.00	601,951.00	
Vocational Programs	25,000.00	35,853.00	35,853.00	
Other Instructional Programs	43,041.00	56,341.00	56,431.00	
Adult/Continuing Education		25.00	25.00	
SUPPORT SERVICES				
Pupil Services				
Attendance & Social Work	3,350.00	1,350.00	1,350.00	
Guidance	76,051.00	96,825.00	96,825.00	
Health	27,047.00	31,601.00	31,601.00	
Psychological	32,666.00	47,428.00	47,428.00	
Speech Path. & Audiology	28,732.00	35,500.00	35,500.00	
Other Pupil Services	29,388.00	32,487.00	32,487.00	
Instructional Staff Services				
Improvement of Instruction	23,358.00	26,320.00	26,320.00	
Educational Media	65,763.00	344,173.00	100,173.00	244,000.00
General Administration				
School Board				
Contingency	5,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	
All Other Objects	33,576.00	53,458.00	46,658.00	6,800.00
S.A.U. Management Serv.	110,480.00	249,088.00	184,088.00	65,000.00
All Other Objects	22,190.00	1,175.00	1,175.00	
Other Gen. Adm. Services	23,100.00	4,000.00	4,000.00	
School Administration Services	211,618.00	321,134.00	321,134.00	
Business Services				
Operation & Maint. of Plant	348,004.00	628,161.00	508,161.00	120,000.00
Pupil Transportation	219,864.00	226,127.00	226,127.00	
COMMUNITIES SERVICES	16,440.00	16,703.00	16,703.00	
FACILITIES ACQUISITIONS & CONST.	253,186.00	12,025.00	12,025.00	
OTHER OUTLAYS				
Debt Service				
Principal	128,000.00	128,000.00	128,000.00	
Interest	49,500.00	306,900.00	306,900.00	
Fund Transfers				
To Federal Projects Fund	67,543.00	54,565.00	54,565.00	
To Food Service Fund	205,230.00	223,329.00	223,329.00	
To Capital Reserve	10,485.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	
Deficit Appropriation	120,812.00			
Debt Revenue Adm.	350,000.00			
Bond Issue		6,650,000.00	6,650,000.00	
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	4,728,894.00	12,777,874.00	11,542,074.00	1,235,800.00

REVENUES & CREDITS AVAILABLE TO REDUCE SCHOOL TAXES	Revised Revenues 1985-86	School Board's Budget 1986-87	Budget Committee Budget 1986-87
Unreserved Fund Balance	43,247.00		
Revenue From State Sources			
Foundation Aid	558,198.00	547,628.00	547,628.00
School Building Aid	39,636.00	39,636.00	39,636.00
Area Vocational School	18,625.00	18,625.00	18,625.00
Driver Education	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Other/Catastrophic Aid	11,060.00	11,060.00	11,060.00
Revenue From Federal Source			
ESEA, Chapter I & II	27,932.00	26,085.00	26,085.00
Child Nutrition Program	60,000.00	60,000.00	60,000.00
Handicapped Program	25,195.00	24,183.00	24,183.00
Other Federal Sources	14,416.00	4,297.00	4,297.00
Other Sources			
Trans. From Cap. Reserve Fund	10,485.00		
Sale of Bonds or Notes		6,650,000.00	6,650,000.00
Other Sources, SAU #15		19,929.00	19,929.00
Local Rev. Other than Taxes			
Tuition	137,833.00	137,833.00	137,833.00
Earnings on Investments	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Other Local Sources	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Supplemental Appropriation/ Local School Lunch	144,230.00	162,329.00	162,329.00
TOTAL SCHOOL REVENUES & CREDITS	1,106,857.00	7,717,605.00	7,717,605.00
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	3,622,037.00	5,060,269.00	3,824,469.00
TOTAL REVENUES & DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	4,728,894.00	12,777,874.00	11,542,074.00

(School portion of the Business Profits Tax \$117,903.00 to be applied to the District Assessment when computing the School Tax Rate.)

IN MEMORIAM



Francis R. Scobee
Commander



Michael J. Smith
Pilot



Judith A. Resnick
Mission Specialist



Ellison S. Onizuka
Mission Specialist

January 28, 1986



Ronald E. McNair
Mission Specialist



Gregory B. Jarvis
Payload Specialist



S. Christa McAuliffe
Payload Specialist

